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$25	"	"	"	"	"	$12
$30	"	"	"	"	"	$15
$40	"	"	"	"	"	$20
$50	"	"	"	"	"	$25

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IN THEBEE TO-DAY

WEATHER.

The official local forecast for to-day and to-morrow is fair and slightly cooler.

Observer Lysight says: "The area of low pressure that was in Minnesota yesterday has moved to the northeast, and is now to the north of Lake Superior. But little rain has fallen from this storm; the only stations reporting rainfall are Duluth, Huron and Marquette. The temperature has fallen in the extreme northwest.

"We can expect here at Toledo for the next 48 hours fair and pleasant weather, with the temperature slightly cooler to-morrow. The highest temperature yesterday was 46 degrees, and the lowest, 35 degrees, occurred this morning."

Forecast for western New York, Ohio and Indiana—Fair; southwesterly winds; no change in temperature.

For upper Michigan—Occasional showers; colder; northwesterly winds.

For lower Michigan—Fair; southwesterly winds; stationary temperature in southern; slightly cooler in northern portion.

For Illinois—Fair; winds shifting to northwesterly; slightly colder, except in extreme southern portion, stationary temperature.

For Wisconsin—Fair; slightly colder in southern, decidedly colder in northern portion; westerly winds.

Stations.	Wind.	Tem.	Vol.
Buffalo, clear	S W	42	14
Cleveland, clear	S E	38	14
Toledo, clear	S W	36	12
St. Louis, clear	S W	42	12
Kansas City, clear	S	36	8
Indianapolis, clear	S	36	8
Chicago, clear	S W	34	24
Des Moines, clear	S W	34	lt
St. Paul, clear	S W	30	6
Moorhead, clear	W	22	6
Bismarck, missing.			
St. Vincent, clear	N	8	8
Minnedosa, missing.			
Alpena, fair	S	34	10
Sault Ste Marie, cloudy	calm	36	..

LOCAL.

Coakley bound over.
Club and Society work.
The O. Y. C.'s deer roast.
An Italian and negro fight.
In the United States court.
Painters about the postoffice.
The news in railroad circles.
Jurors for common pleas court.
Accident to Sergeant O'Sullivan.
Council committees this evening.
St. Peter's church silver jubilee.
Night classes at the high school.
Prisoners sentenced to the O. P.
The reception to Rev. D. M. Fisk.
Calendar carnival to-morrow night.
The police matron and her duties.
Burglar visits Mr. S. C. Schenck's.
Northwestern Medical society in convention.
Entertainments for this and next week.
Dominick Conlisk must pay $1,000 to his wife.

UNITED STATES.

Tall Hall in jail.
The Graves trial.
Wreck of the steamer Oregon
Speaker Crisp down to business.
Secretary Foster's annual report.
Another maniac in New York city.
A wild freight train on a steep grade.
Slayers of Deputy Marshal Thornton arrested.
Cincinnati to reform the theater managements.

FOREIGN.

Dom Pedro given a royal burial.
Gladstone talks on the tory line of action.
Thousands of Mexicans in destitute circumstances.

TALL HALL IS IN JAIL.

A Desperado Who Has Killed Ninety Men.

A Bad Character, Once a Member of the French-Eversole Faction, Has Been Captured.

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 10.—Tall Hall, once a member of the celebrated French-Eversole faction of Kentucky and who has a record of having killed 90 men singly and in posse, was arrested here this morning. He made a grab for a Winchester but the officers were too quick for him.

Hall is the man who killed the notorious Turner, the leader of the Turner faction in Litcher county, Ky. He also burned the town of Jackson when he failed to find Eversole there.

His brother is Jim Hall, who caused the Kentucky militia to be sent to the mountains. He was once a deputy marshal for the eastern district of Kentucky with headquarters at Covington.

He is a remarkably fine looking man and a fluent talker.

LATE BOOKS!

The Lord of the Lamar, - - - $3.50
By Rockhill.

New Light in Dark Africa, - - - 6.00
By Dr. Carl Peters.

The Story of Colette, from the French, 1.50
By Author of Straight On.

Ocean Steamships---Illustrated, - 3.00

Brown, Eager & Hull.

Holiday . . .
NOVELTIES.

There is nothing which so adorns a home as a few tasty novelties round among the old commonplace pieces of Furniture, which you and your friends are in the habit of seeing every time they go into your house. Of course, it isn't presumed that you will throw away all your substantial Furniture just because it is worn out of style a little.

Now that the Holiday season is on, what more substantial present to your family or friends than a

Fancy Rocker, Book Case,
Writing Desk, Parlor Table,
Wall Cabinet, Dining Table,
Parlor Easel, Library Table,

Or any other of the long list of beautiful articles of fine furniture with which our rooms are crowded.

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FOOLED THEM ALL.

A Detroit National Bank Paying Teller

Has Been Pilfering the Funds for Years

Without Being Detected by the Officers.

When Confronted With His Guilt He Confessed.

He Had Deposited the Cash in Other Banks and Drew it Out to Make Good His Stealings — No Prosecution to Follow.

Detroit, Dec. 10.—(Special)—The Detroit National bank has been robbed by its paying teller, Frederick A. Harter, of nearly $10,000, and the extraordinary thing about the robbery is that, according to the confession of Harter to the bank directors, the thefts have extended over a series of years in small amounts without discovery by the local United States bank examiner, Austin B. Wing.

In an interview with the bank president, Alexander McPherson, at the bank, that gentleman presented the case as follows:

"The amount taken was very nearly $10,000. Nearly all of this sum has been returned by the defaulter himself out of money deposited in other banks. He also made over his books and furniture in the house which he rented at 63 Brigham street and out of which he has moved and has gone to live with his mother.

The discovery was made by the assistant cashier, William T. DeGraff. Paying Teller Harter handled all the cash of the bank that came into it and each night turned over the surplus to the assistant cashier, and made a memorandum in the assistant cashier's book of such amounts as were turned over. About 10 days ago Harter made a false entry in this book, and the assistant cashier on the discovery reported that the cash had not been received. A general examination of the books was then made by the directors. Harter confessed to the directors that he had taken the cash in small sums over a number of years."

"The bank has been examined during the time by the bank examiner?"

"Yes," replied the president. "When Bank Examiner Wing was asked regarding the matter his reply was: 'All I've got to say is that the fellow did me up.'"

Inquiry develops no fast habits possessed by the defaulting paying teller. He has not been arrested, and, so far as can be ascertained, no steps will be taken against him.

FAITH IN OVERMAN.

Washington Officials Think the Major Will Come Out All Right.

Washington, Dec. 10.—Major L. C. Overman, formerly in charge of engineering in the Tenth district, who was put under military surveillance charged with embezzlement of government funds, does not seem to take the arrest seriously.

He says the fault is in computations, or mistakes, made by his clerks in Cleveland.

At the war department they say the shortage is not over $500, and that it is undoubtedly the result of poor bookkeeping rather than dishonesty.

HILL GOT IT.

Washington, Dec. 10.—Judge Yoder has appointed Isaac R. Hill, of Norwalk, deputy sergeant-at-arms.

CRISP DOWN TO BUSINESS.

Will Appoint His Committees in Ten Days.

The Celebrated Georgian Promises to Smash the Record Even Under Most Difficult Circumstances.

Washington, Dec. 10.—During the next 10 days Speaker Crisp will have his hands full of business. The most perplexing problem that confronts the speaker of a new congress is the arrangement of committees. The more important chairmanships are eagerly sought after.

They are positions of influence, and in some cases command no small amount of patronage, and the speaker is forced to decide between three or four who aspire to be at the head of the same committee. Only in a few instances for many years have the house committees been announced until after the holiday recess. Mr. Crisp has declared his intention to buckle down to his task and finish the job within ten days.

If he does this he will break the record. Others have undertaken to do it, but none have succeeded.

There is a current belief that Mills, of Texas, will be given the chairmanship of the ways and means committee. The two Breckinridges, the gray-haired one from Kentucky and his nephew from Arkansas, are likely to be members of this committee.

Burrows, of Michigan, will no doubt be at the head of the republican minority on this committee, followed by Dingley, of Maine, A. Kenna, of California, and Payne, of New York.

Unless current opinion is at fault Uncle Holman, of Indiana, will get the committee on appropriations. He was chairman of this committee away back in the Forty-fourth congress. He lost the place by his failure to be re-elected to the next congress. Ever since then he has been trying to regain it, and he has a better chance now than at any time before. It is probable that Blount, of Georgia, will have the postoffice committee, and the committee on invalid pensions lies between Martin, of Indiana, and Law, of Illinois.

MURDERERS UNDER ARREST.

The Slayer of Deputy Marshal Thornton Captured.

A Bad Gang Surrounded in Their Hiding Place and Taken Before They Had Time to Resist.

Guthrie, O. T., Dec. 10.—News has just reached hear of the capture of a part of a gang of outlaws who murdered Deputy Marshal Thornton.

Deputies Jones, Scott and Mack surrounded them in their camp in a deep ravine 50 miles east of here and, coming upon them suddenly, compelled them to surrender, taking as prisoners Samuel Leslie, Cæsar Jack and Alexander Scott, all noted murders and horse thieves.

Since being in jail, Leslie, the leader of the gang, has confessed that he fired the shot that killed Marshal Thornton.

EX-GOV. STEARNS DROPS DEAD.

He Was Visiting His Mother-in Law at Palatine Bridge.

Canajoharie, N. Y., Dec. 10.—M. L. Stearns, ex-governor of Florida, dropped dead of heart failure at the residence of his wife's mother, Mrs. H. D. Walker, at Palatine Bridge.

Gov. Stearns was born in Lovell, Me., fifty-two years ago. He entered the army in 1861 as a private, was promoted to first lieutenant and lost his right arm in the battle of Winchester. He held appointments under Presidents Grant and Hayes. He was elected to the legislature of Florida, served four years as speaker of the assembly and was governor of the state three years.

Mrs. Stearns, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Horace D. Walker, and her brother, Edward A. Walker, will leave Palatine Bridge to-morrow morning with the body. It will be taken to Lovell, where the funeral will take place.

IT BROKE HER HEART.

Pine Bluff, Ark., Dec. 10.—Henry Dowd, a justice of the peace in this county, quarreled with his wife yesterday morning and the couple agreed to separate.

Mrs. Dowd left her home and went to her son's residence near by. A few minutes later she went into the garden and fell to the ground and expired almost instantly. A post mortem examination revealed the remarkable fact that the main artery of her heart had been broken close to that organ.

VISITING BOARD.

Wauseon, Dec. 10.—(Special)—Judge Handy appointed five persons to constitute a "Visiting Board" to the county infirmary. Mesdames H. H. Ham and J. C. Bollmeyer, Attorney F. J. Isbell, Doctors Murbach and J. O. Allen were the appointees. His honor stated he did so at request of the state board of charities and in purusance of the statute.

KILLED HIMSELF.

Chicago, Dec. 10.—George H. Lane, a member of the real estate firm of Lake & Lane, shot and killed himself in his office in the stock exchange building. He was suffering from a nervous disorder verging closely on insanity. He leaves a wife and one child.

ELLIOTT'S CASE.

Columbus, O., Dec. 10.—The supreme court this morning granted a motion to advance the case of William J. Elliott, now in that court, for an early hearing, but did not fix a date.

GLADSTONE TALKS.

Tory Line of Action Changed Too Often to be Safe.

Such is the Opinion of the Great Liberal Leader Who Allows No One to Misunderstand His Sayings.

London, Dec. 10.—Mr. Gladstone, who has been on a visit to Earl Spencer, at Althorp Park, previous to leaving England for the South of France, bade farewell to his host yesterday and drove to Northampton, en route to this city. At the railway station Mr. Gladstone received a number of addresses from municipal and other bodies. In reply the liberal leader said, among other things:

"The Tory menu is varied daily and the latest changes seem to indicate that the Irish local government bill has been shunted to make room for Mr. Goschen's quack measure to provide, in the strangest manner an issue of one pound notes."

Mr. Gladstone spoke from the steps of the railroad bridge crossing the lines, inside the station, to a dense crowd of people who had gathered within the station. After speaking, Mr. Gladstone crossed the bridge and reacher the track upon the other side of the station. Arrived there, Mr. Gladstone's most enthusiastic admirers lifted the old gentleman above their shoulders and, totally regardless of his alleged infirmities, carried him into his carriage, while the station fairly shook with cheers.

Mr. Gladstone was to be the guest of Lord Rosebery last night and continued his journey to-day.

TEN CARS PASSED OVER HIM.

Awful Death of Ole Clapp at Fostoria.

Fostoria, O., Dec. 10.—(Special)—Ole Clapp, the 8-year old son of Martin Clapp, had both legs cut off by a west bound B. & O. freight yesterday afternoon.

He and another lad were playing along the moving train and he was in some manner drawn under the wheels and ten cars had passed over him before his playmates could pull him away.

He died after a couple of hours suffering.

M'LAURIN ELECTED.

Columbia, S. C., Dec. 10.—The legislature elected John L. McLaurin of Marlboro attorney general after three ballots. There were four candidates.

DISCOUNT REDUCED.

London, Dec. 10.—The bank of England's rate of discount has been reduced from four per cent. to three and one-half per cent.

THE GRAVES TRIAL.

Judge Furman Makes the Opening Address.

The Career of His Client Traced From Childhood—First Step in the Great Case Taken.

Denver, Col., Dec. 10.—Judge Furman has made the opening address for the defense in the Graves trial. After a few preliminary remarks he began to recount the history of the life of the accused. From a Massachusetts school boy to a merchants clerk in Zanzibar, a student in Harvard, a doctor in Norwich, Lynn, Danielsonville and Providence, the defendants career was traced. Judge Furman denied that Dr. Graves and Mrs. Barnaby were introduced to each other by Mrs. Hickey, an old servant of the deceased.

The Barnaby family came in for a severe scoring when the subject of the will was discussed. By that document Mrs. Barnaby was left only $2,500 a year. A contest resulted in a settlement that gave her $100,000 a year. The allegations that the accused had kept Mrs. Barnaby in the dark as to the management of her property were all denied. The speaker said receipts and contracts signed by Mrs. Barnaby herself would be introduced. The large fee of $10,000 paid Ballou and Jackson was not paid by Dr. Graves, but by the deceased woman.

None of the money paid in settlement of the contest was paid to Dr. Graves. It was turned over to Mrs. Barnaby and the receipt that she gave and signed herself would be produced in evidence. The speaker stated that there was an estrangement between the deceased and her daughters.

Then Mrs. Barnaby went to the Adirondacks. Sallie Hanley went along. While the letter threatening guardianship was written by Dr. Graves, who did so to protect her property, his sworn duty. The defense then proceeded to attack the Worrells, whom Mrs. Barnaby was visiting in this city. Judge Furman charged that Mrs. Worrell, sr., was the one who knew all about the poison that killed the deceased.

Court adjourned for noon recess before the adress was concluded.

HARRISON'S MESSAGE.

Comment of the Eastern Press This Morning.

Even His Friends Cannot Hide the Bid for Votes.

The Michigan Electoral Section Shows that the President is Animated by the Old Spirit and Hungers for Federal Control.

New York, Dec. 10.—All of the morning papers have liberal comments on the president's message, the tone of which are generally favorable of the expressions and recommendations contained therein.

The Herald says the message is a straightforward document which gives us a clear photographic view of the events which have absorbed the country's attention during the last twelve months. The prominent topics discussed are very naturally those suggested by our foreign relations. On the whole it is a very interesting document, in spite of the fact that we can't always agree with its conclusions and might take issue with many of its statements if we were so inclined.

The Times says the message is a decidedly more respectable paper than those before it. Its tone is dignified, its arrangement clear and businesslike, most of its recommendations are conservative and sensible and some of them are timely and sound.

The Sun says the leading topics of the message are foreign affairs and the finances. What it has to say of Chili is of grave importance. There is no mistaking the language used which throws light on the recent movements of our warships.

The Recorder says the message is American through and through. It is the finished and comprehensive statement of an executive well informed as to the relations of our country with others and always just regarding them, but who considers every topic, first of all, with absolute devotion to the interests of the people of the United States, and particularly of the great mass of the population who are wage-earners.

The document cannot fail to increase the respect of the world for our political institutions and the firmness and dignity with which they are considered.

The Tribune says the one characteristic of the message which must impress every candid reader is its absolute freedom from partisanship or prejudice. There is in it no straining for effect. It is a simple, clear and businesslike statement of public affairs full of wise and practical suggestions.

The Press says the message is a thoroughly American document, in every line of which the spirit of patriotic desire for the public weal is clearly expressed.

The World confines its comments on the message to that portion in which the president refers to the new system adopted by Michigan in electing presidential electors, and says he is animated by the old federalist spirit and hungers for federal control in state affairs. Federal encroachment upon local self-government, the World adds, has already gone dangerously far, and hostility to its further advance is hostility of principal and prudence, not merely of partisanship.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 10.—Tribune rep.): "President Harrison's message is one of the ablest state papers in the annals of the American government and the ablest presidential message of recent years."

Evening Journal (rep.): "The message of President Harrison is chiefly recapitulary and may be characterized as a plain statement of the condition of public affairs by a practical man. It is about such a message as a president ought to write previous to a nominating convention in whose proceedings he may be personally interested."

San Francisco, Dec. 10.—Bulletin (rep.): "What Harrison has to say about Chili is dignified and firm and about the Chinese just and satisfactory. There is nothing kept back in what he has to say on the Chinese, as was always the case with Cleveland.

"His remarks on the new democratic plan to divide the north by providing for the election of presidential electors by districts, as in Michigan, are strong, original and deserving of the gravest consideration."

St. Louis, Dec. 10.—The Globe-Democrat (rep.) says: "In his survey of the questions which have been up for discussion or action within the last twelve months he sees much that is satisfactory in results. The tariff law enacted in 1890 and the silver law of that year have proven acceptable to the people; the Bering sea controversy with Great Britain is in a fair way to satisfactory settlement; the fears of a treasury deficit on account of the reduction in the revenues made by the tariff law have not been realized and are not likely to be.

"It will be conceded, indeed, that the president in this deliverance discusses all controverted questions with scrupulous fairness and gives cogent reasons for his views. The entire message deserves careful reading. It is a clear, able and conservative state paper, and is fully worthy of the important concerns which it discusses and of the exalted office from which it emanates."

Republic (dem.): "Its tone is dispirited. It lacks the bantam confidence which crowded to the Reed congress as if from its own dunghill. Mr. Harrison recognizes for the first time that something has occurred with which his bantam policy had an intimate connection, and in this sense his message has a certain interest as a confession of the failure of his administration.

"The portion of the message devoted to the tariff is merely a rehash of the editorials of the New York Tribune and the New York Press."

OREGON IN BAD SHAPE.

Late Navigation on the Lakes is Dangerous.

Wreckers Hard at Work to Save the Stranded Steamer—She Carried No Insurance.

Brockville, Ont., Dec. 10.—Further particulars from the Oregon show that she is in very bad shape. She is solid on what is known as the Bay State shoal, about ten miles from here.

The tug Wilson and barge Matthews, from Ogdensburg, are alongside with a gang of men to lighter her. They worked all last night, and up to noon to-day had taken out about 1,400 bushels of grain.

The Oregon has double decks and the portion of the cargo between decks was safe and dry. It is expected that between two and three thousand bushels of that in the hold will also be saved.

The boat has settled to such an extent with the amount of water in her hold that she presents a solid front to the waves, and is said to be getting no further injury from that quarter.

An examination of the Oregon by divers reveals a hole in her starboard bow five planks wide and five or six feet long. The insurance on the Oregon had not been renewed, and the loss must be borne by the owners. She is owned by Gilchrist, Gilcher & Schuck.

BOTH WILL HANG.

Danville, Va., Dec. 10.—In the corporation court yesterday Jim Lyles and Margaret Lasley, who were convicted of the murder of the woman's husband, were sentenced to be hanged on January 22nd.

SPLENDID WORK.

The President's Message Handled by the Western Union.

Chicago, Dec. 10.—The press of the United States is under obligations to the Western Union Telegraph company for the prompt and satisfactory manner in which that organization handled the advance copy of the president's message.

Commencing about 1 o'clock in the morning, the most skillful operators in the service went to work on the mass of matter, and at 7 o'clock the entire document was delivered to newspapers all over the country in neat and legible typewritten copy.

The message was sent by the same sheet numbers over all the circuits, so that confusion was impossible. It was a highly creditable piece of telegraphic work, and one that will be appreciated by telegraph editors and compositors, as well as by the reading public.

HAD A NARROW ESCAPE.

Selma, Ala., Dec. 10.—The sleeping car "Airignon" that left New Orleans yesterday morning jumped the track when rounding a curve at Coatopa. In the car were Vernona Jarbeau and her compay. The sleeper turned entirely over down a ten-foot embankment. Men, women and children were extricated from the windows in their night clothes. The car caught fire, but the flames were quickly extinguished. Fortunately no one was seriously injured.

BILLS ARE POURING IN.

The Senatorial Hopper Rapidly Filling Up.

Free Coinage, One Term Presidents,

Department of Health and Pure Food Bills, as Well as Resolutions Favoring the Closing of the World's Fair on Sunday, Placed Before the Upper House.

Washington, Dec. 10.—In the senate to-day a number of treasury, war department, fish commission and other reports were presented and referred, also various petitions in favor of closing the Chicago fair on Sunday.

Mr. Paddock, of Nebraska, introduced his pure food bill.

Mr. Harris, of Tennessee, introduced a bill to re-establish a national board of health.

Bills were also introduced: Mr. Stewart—For free coinage of silver (re-introduced); also, a new Chinese restriction bill.

Mr. Cullom—To suspend the coming of Chinese laborers.

Mr. Pasco—To punish officers conspiring to select United States jurors because of political or religious opinion.

Mr. Cullom—For penny postage.

M. Chandler—Requiring consular certificates for emigrants.

Mr. Gibson—For levee repairs, and for constitutional amendment making the presidential term end April 30 instead of March 4, and making the president ineligible for a second term.

Mr. Platt—(Connecticut)—amending patent laws.

Mr. Sherman—to establish a department of public health.

Mr. Vest—To amend the inter-state commerce law; also a joint resolution regarding export trade in cattle.

Mr. Hiscock—For the relief of the estate of John Roach in respect to the construction of the Dolphin and remitting penalties on the dynamite cruiser Vesuvius.

Mr. Peffer—To amend the immigration and naturalization laws; to provide a service pension for surviving soldiers of the war, with an additional amount to prisoners of war; to reduce the number of pension ratings to ten; to abolish pension agencies, and to lessen the expenses of examining boards.

Mr. Paddock—To create a permanent tariff commission.

Mr. Vest—To prohibit monopoly in the transportation of cattle to foreign countries.

Mr. Turpie—For direct vote for presidential electors.

The president transmitted to the senate the appointments made during recess.

It was stated at the White House today that the new nominations will probably not be sent in before next week.

RAN A MAD RACE.

A Wild Freight Train on a Down Grade.

A Conflagration Follows and Several People Have Very Narrow Escapes From Death.

Marquette, Mich., Dec. 10.—A queer accident happened near here yesterday to a heavily loaded freight train.

When near the top of a heavy grade the train parted and the rear section thundered toward the city at a high rate of speed.

At Division street one car jumped the track and crashed into John Crowl's house, some distance from the rails. Mr. and Mrs. Crowl were in bed when the car came upon the house, which was badly wrecked. The shock threw them out of bed and seriously injured them.

Another car and the caboose caught fire and also jumped the track while blazing furiously. They brought up against the residence of Alexander Emerson, setting it, together with an adjoining dwelling, on fire. The occupants escaped in their night clothes.

Conductor Doran and a brakman had a narrow escape from instant death, saving themselves only by jumping. A few other cars of the train were also wrecked and the loss, it is estimated, will reach about $30,000.

FOR THE PUBLIC GOOD.

Legislation for the Cincinnati Theaters.

"Standing Room" to be Done Away With, No More Chairs In Aisles and Firemen to Attend all the Performances.

Cincinnati, Dec. 10.—The board of legislation has at last taken hold of a matter which promises to bring results of a desirable character. Cincinnati theaters have long trampled over the rights of their patrons and violated the statutes with impunity.

The legislative board has now under consideration an ordinance to prevent the placing of camp chairs in the aisles, making it a punishable offense to sell tickets to a show when there is only "standing room," and providing that every theater be compelled to have a fire brigade, in full uniform, stationed in various parts of the house with appliances for extinguishing flames. The ordinance meets with favor from the theater-going public.

STARTLED AGAIN TO-DAY.

Another Financial Sensation in Germany.

Adolf Albert Has Been Declared a Bankrupt.

He Stole Money Right and Left and His Creditors Have a Very Poor Chance of Getting Anything.

Berlin, Dec. 10.—The German world of finance was startled to-day by another crash among its monied institutions, and by the discovery that another hitherto highly respected, admired and envied financier had been embezzling money for a long time past.

In this latest revelation of fraud, Adolf Albert, a prominent banker of Garlitz, in Prussian Silesia, has been declared a bankrupt, and an examination into his affairs shows a very poor outlook for his creditors.

The banking house at the head of which was Herr Adolf Albert was composed of himself and his brother Marcs, and from present appearances, Adolf at least, must have been defrauding his clients for a long time past.

He is said to have embezzled over two million marks, including one deposit of 780,000 marks.

Albert has left for parts unknown; but he is believed to be on his way to the United States. Marcs, Adolf's brother, is believed to be implicated in the embezzlements and has been placed under arrest.

A GRAND JURY IN JAIL.

San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 10—The grand jury after spending 28 hours in the jail in this county for the non-payment of a fine of $50 each, imposed by Judge King for contempt, were last evening released on a telegram received from John P. White, judge of the court of appeals now in session at Tyler. The bond of the applicants is fixed at $100 each pending the hearing of the application by the court of appeals.

ENGLISH FARMERS' ALLIANCE

An Important Conference in Session.

Reforms in Rural Matters to be Demanded by the National Liberal Federation.

London, Dec. 10.—There was commenced this morning in Memorial hall, Farringdon street, this city, one of the most important conferences in the history of the Liberal party in England. Officially it is termed the "National Liberal Federation Conference," in fact it is a conference under the auspices of the Liberal party, of the farmers, village artisans, agricultural laborers, and others directly or indirectly connected with rural life, a sort of English farmers alliance, having for its object the outlining of legislation calculated to bring about reforms in rural matters.

DENIES HIS GUILT.

Alton, Ill., Dec. 10.—The case of Patrick Boyle, charged with the murder of John Muench, near the town of Nameoki, this county, August 12 last, was concluded yesterday in the Madison county circuit court at Edwardsville, the jury bringing in a verdict of guilty, affixing the death penalty.

Boyle affects a stolid indifference as to his fate, but stoutly maintains his innocence.

MAY HAVE KILLED THEM.

Strange Act by the New York Police.

They Allow a Crazy Man to Hold a Family Prisoners and Refuse to Interfere.

New York, Dec. 10.—George S. Stokes, the gigantic lunatic who recently escaped from an insane asylum, went to his mother's home in East Fourteenth street yesterday.

He immediately began acting in an eccentric manner and nearly frightened the wits out of the members of the household by his crazy actions.

The police went to the house to arrest him, but the maniac locked and barred the door, and defied the six policemen. The warrant did not warrant them in breaking down the door, and as the maniac held the family captive they did not dare to cry out for assistance, which would have been the signal for the officers to act.

The police remained outside all night waiting and watching, but no person emerged from the house and no outcry was made, so they went away this morning.

BURIED IN THE RUINS.

Louisville Firemen Who Lost Their Lives.

Four Brave Men Who Met Death Under the Crumbling Walls of a Burning Building.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 10.—Up to this morning none of the bodies of the firemen killed yesterday have been recovered. The names of the missing firemen are:

WM. DAVIS, 28 years old, leaves wife and two children.

THOMAS MOORE, 27 years old, single.

SAMUEL BAKER, 30 years, wife and children.

TONY STACK, 25 years, single.

The three last named were acting as substitutes. Chief Hughes is suffering from concussion of the brain and was reported to be in a critical condition last night.

A WAUSEON BRUTE.

Tobias Ketcham in Jail Under a Serious Charge.

Wauseon, Dec. 10.—(Special)—Tobias Ketcham, of Lyons, is in jail on a warrant sworn out by his daughter Ora, 14 years old, charging him with an attempt at outrage.

Ketcham drove his wife from home. She went west with her daughter, but the husband followed and brought back the daughter some months since.

The daughter charges that he began the night he got her back to attempt to ruin her. Ketcham comes from a prominent family.

GIVEN A ROYAL BURIAL.

Dom Pedro Sleeps in a Foreign Land,

Mourned by the Poor, Who Were His Friends.

A Strange Scene in the French Capitol—Beautiful Floral Gifts and An Imposing Ceremony.

Paris, Dec. 10.—The French government having determined to give the dead ex-emperor a royal funeral, the Place de la Madeline yesterday was lined with four regiments of infantry and a regiment of cuirassiers. His death has caused universal sorrow, and in the great crowd which assembled were many poor people who will not soon forget the kindnesses they have received at his hands. They were permitted to pass by the coffin until the approach of the hour set for the religious ceremonies, and many of them shed tears as they gazed for the last time upon the features of the dead ruler.

Some time before the time set for the beginning of the celebration of the solemn high mass of requiem, the doors of the church were closed and none but the members of Dom Pedro's family and those who held tickets of invitation were allowed to enter.

The church filled rapidly, and in a short time it was densely packed. The mourning decorations of the church were beautiful. An immense canopy lined with silver was suspended from the roof and stretched gracefully to the rear of the galleries. All the walls were draped with sombre black.

An immense catafalque had been erected in the center of the church, and on this the coffin containing the remains of Dom Pedro rested. The covering of the coffin was black cloth sprinkled with silver stars. A glass panel was in the lid, and through this the face of the dead emperor might be seen. On the coffin plate was an elaborate Latin inscription, composed by Abbe David, a member of the French institute and a life-long friend of Dom Pedro.

Princess Isabella, Dom Pedro's daughter, and ex-princess imperial of Brazil, and her husband, Count d' Eu, sat at the right of the bier. They were accompanied by their three sons. Close beside them sat the Prince and Princess de Joinville, Prince Louis Phillippe de Bourbon, the Duke de Penthievre, the Duke de Chartres, the Duke de Aumale and the Duke de Nemours. All the diplomats at present in Paris were in attendance and occupied seats to the right of the bier.

President Carnot was represented by Gen. Rogers.

Dom Pedro was a member of the French institute, and the members were present in a body. The principal Brazilian residents of Paris were seated on the right hand side of the church.

To the left of the bier were seated ex-Queen Isabella of Spain, the Duchess de Chartres, the Countess Trapani and Infanta Eulalie of Spain.

The minister of Brazil and a number of other dignitaries of that country surrounded the catafalque. The archbishop of Paris presided at the religious ceremonies, which were very solemn and magnificent.

The solo parts of the service were sung by artistes from the Paris opera house.

When the high mass was concluded the coffin was lifted on the shoulders of brawny men and carried to the car awaiting it at the entrance of the church. As it emerged from the building the vast concourse in the Place de la Madeline uncovered their heads and breathed a silent prayer for the dead emperor.

The troops presented arms and the bands began playing the mournful strains of the "Dead March in Saul."

The funeral car which was used to convey the remains to the railway station was the same used at the funeral of the Duke de Mernoy and President Thiers. It was drawn to-day by eight horses caparisoned in black, each led by a servant wearing upon arm and hat the emblems of death. Sixteen noted Brazilians acted as pall bearers. The hearse was preceded by two cars filled with the most beautiful flowers and wreaths, which were sent by persons of all classes.

Following the hearse came a number of officers bearing before them the cushions of velvet the decorations and orders of the dead ex-emperor.

Then came ten coaches conveying the mourning relatives of Dom Pecro, and those were in turn followed by a large number of Brazilians on foot.

Then came eight regiments of cavalry and infantry and a battery of artillery, which accompanied the remains from the Church of the Madeline to the railway station.

The whole route followed by the funeral procession was lined by thousands upon thousands of people who showed the greatest respect for the dead ex-emperor.

As the procession passed along every man in the throng reverentially bared his head.

Despite the profusion of flowers and wreaths sent by the relatives of Dom Pedro and sympathizing friends, the coffin was bare of floral ornament save one beautiful wreath composed of immortelles, which had been sent by the queen of England. When the cortege reached the railway station a space was cleared, and the troops who had followed the hearse from the Church of the Madeline marched past.

The coffin was then conveyed from the hearse and deposited in a car, which had been draped in black and fitted up as a mortuary chapel. As soon as this was done, and the relatives and friends who were to accompany the remains had entered the railway carriage the train started for Lisbon, where the funeral services will be held, and where the remains will be interred in the family vault.

MICHIGAN NEWS.

Clayton now has a brass band.

Hudson will soon have a harness factory.

Safe cracksmen are at work in Detroit.

The new Muskegon jail is about completed.

Mrs. Jane Field has been made deputy county clerk.

The business college at Owosso has closed down.

The Michigan State Grange is in session at Lansing.

The Hop Tonic company of Grand Rapids has failed.

Timber is on the ground for two new saw mills in Bay City.

The Belding basket factory will begin operations next week.

The Milbrook schools have been closed on account of diphtheria.

Charles Huddings was instantly killed in a mine near Ishpeming.

The soldiers' home in Grand Rapids has 526 inmates on its rolls.

A wild turkey was shot from the roof of the First Reformed church at Grand Haven.

Muskegon and North Muskegon will be connected by a bridge across Muskegon lake.

An old lake captain, named Matheson, fell off a fish boat near Cheboygan and was drowned.

The mayor of Port Huron appointed a board of assessors and the council refuses to confirm his choice.

Investigation points to murder in the cremation of Addie Turner in the burning of her grandmother's home at Mullken.

The track of the street railway from Ishpeming to Negaunee has been completed and the trolley wire is being put up.

Calhoun county has arranged to put its prisoners to cracking stone to earn their forage, but the sheriff refuses to guard the men.

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IN THE BUCKEYE STATE.

The Girard Iron furnace collapsed at Youngstown.

Sidney is to have free mail delivery after January 1.

The Farmers' institute of Wayne county is in session at Wooster.

Sixteen horses were roasted alive in a livery stable fire at West Milton.

A new street car ordinance has been introduced into the Massillon council.

An old Presbyterian church building was destroyed by fire at Bowling Green.

The Buckeye State Medical Fire association at Lancaster has suspended business.

A company has been organized at Pomeroy to build and operate an opera house.

The Thompson-Houston Carbon company wants $20,000 bonus to rebuild at Fremont.

Mrs. Darling, a lady aged 70 years, has mysteriously disappeared from Perrysville.

Thieves stole a wagon load of furniture, carpets and pictures from a Cincinnati residence.

The Cosbocton Coal company has been incorporated at Cleveland under a capital stock of $30,000.

An electric railroad is to be built from Springfield through North Hampton, New Carlisle, Medway to Dayton.

The superintendent of the Canton electric street railway lines has applied an invention of his own to obviate the uncomfortable jolt of cars in starting and stopping.

ENTERTAINMENTS.

"All the Comforts of Home" at Wheeler's.

Sol Smith Russell in "Peaceful Valley"—"Hands Across the Sea" Next Week.

It is said that William Gillett's efforts at amusing the public have never been more successful than in "All the Comforts of Home," which will be presented at the Wheeler opera house to-morrow night. This is a comedy of a high class and is presented by an exceptionally strong company of capable people, many of whom have won enviable laurels for themselves. The advance sale of seats insures a good house at each presentation.

Peaceful Valley.

The popular comedian, Mr. Sol Smith Russell, always a great favorite in this city, will appear at the Wheeler opera house Saturday presenting his successful new play, Peaceful Valley. Mr. Russell has for years held a first place among American comedians. His methods are peculiar to himself, his artistic work so natural and so perfect, and his characters so birdlike and homely, that his stage portraitures are among the most familiar to the play-going public. There is no actor to-day who has greater power over the feelings of an audience, and who can more readily move them by the magic of his art to smiles and tears at will. Theater-goers from Prince Edwards Island to Southern California know that there is but one Sol Smith Russell.

Through the comedian's remarkable mobile face there ever shines that indefinable something that tells of a good heart, that earnestness that inspires confidence, that manliness that attracts.

The plan for the sale of seats is now open. There is no need of expanding upon this engagement, Sol Smith Russell is known to all, and will meet with a royal welcome.

Hands Across the Sea.

That beautiful and stupendous spectacular production, "Hands Across the Sea," will begin a week's engagement at the People's theater next Monday evening. "Hands Across the Sea" is each one of favorite with Toledo theatergoers that the announcement of its coming is always sufficient to guarantee full houses. "Hands Across the Sea" comes this year in an entirely new dress. All the scenic properties, costumes, etc., are entirely new, while the mechanical effects are the same as the original production, notably the prison, revolving, and sinking scenes, which are exceedingly novel and startling and will carry many surprises to the patrons of the People's theater.

"Hands Across the Sea" overflows with heavy interest and has a number of highly dramatic incidents, while the pictorial effects introduced are vastly enjoyable and amply relieve the more sombre episodes. The dialogue throughout is couched in trenchant and straight to the point—not a single line is wasted, but every line is made to tell in the most emphatic fashion. The company is larger and stronger than ever before, and there is every evidence that the S. R. O. sign will adorn the front doors of the People's next week.

CANADIAN INDEPENDENCE.

Many Americans will doubtless be surprised to learn, says Walter Blackburn Harte in an article on "Canadian Journalists and Journalism," in the December New England Magazine, how many of the leading editors of Canada express themselves as being in favor of the adoption of a continental commercial policy and complete separation from Great Britain. Nothing could show more distinctly the drift of the popular sentiment in the Dominion, for everybody is aware that newspapers only echo public opinion, and do not create it, nowadays.

A few years ago there was little tolerance in Canada for any man who dared to speak of the possibility of severing the sentimental tie binding the country to Great Britain. Now Canadian independence is one of the strongest of popular appeals.

The strongest opposition of the conservative party to anything like free trade with the United States is based upon the contention that complete independence of Great Britain would result in an absorption of Canada by the great republic. The leading journalists of the Dominion unite in urging the necessity of Canada belonging to this continent economically, and some of them are willing to admit to their constituencies that if such identification of the commercial interests of the two countries involves political union, then political union is desirable. Such an undercurrent in the newspapers cannot be mistaken.

LIVES OF PHILOSOPHERS.

In outward circumstances and condition the lives of the philosophers have varied as widely as those of any other class of men. While Aristotle gathered riches through the patronage of kings, Comte constructed the "Positive Philosophy" on an income that once, indeed, by a phenomenal ride of good fortune, amounted to £400 a year, but which usually was less than £200, and often less than £100. While Descartes, before entering upon that eight years' solitary study o himself, which was the last stage in the evolution of his philosophic system, had the means and inclination to wander the better part of nine years up and down Europe studying other men, Kant in all his long life never got outside the boundaries of East Prussia, or as much as a hundred miles away from the town of Konigsberg. But, however different in opportunities and rewards, the lives of the philosophers are as one in the love of truth for its own sake, and in a readiness to spare no labor, and none of the ordinary forms of worldly success to find it. Such examples of self-denial and of long, secluded diligence as some of the philosophers furnish, are scarcely to be matched elsewhere.—From "The Point of View" in December (Christmas) Scribner.

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THE POLICE MATRON.

What Are the Duties Which Belong to This Office?

Mayor Emmick Interprets the Law and Says the Duties Shall be Performed Hereafter—Some Proposed Changes.

Since the present matron at the police station entered upon the duties of that office the ladies of the city who are interested in having these duties properly performed have been very much dissatisfied. The committees which have visited the station for the various women's organizations have seen for themselves, and have judged from the matron's reports, that she had not the same conception of what were her duties that they had; that the most important work, that indeed for which they had the office created, was no longer considered a part of the matron's duties.

At the last meeting of the suffrage society the report of the committee showed that the matron had only two women under her care since the previous report; that she was not called upon to attend in any way to the women locked in the prison cells of the lower floor, and did not consider that work was in any way her duty. She had done all Chief O'Dwyer had asked her to do.

The society was unanimously of opinion that the matron did not understand her duty, or what the women who had the office created did not understand the law creating it, and a committee was appointed to wait upon Mayor Emmick and have an understanding in the matter.

At the last meeting of the Union of Unions a similar committee was appointed, and yesterday afternoon Mayor Emmick met the ladies at the matron's room. There were present besides the mayor and the matron, Mrs. A. P. Stevens and Mrs. Judge Collins for the suffrage society, and Mrs. Frances J. Sumner, Mrs. C. R. Southard and Mrs. Maude Dutton for the W. C. T. U. societies.

Mayor Emmick read the last report presented before the Suffrage society and the union, and so far as it related to the matron's work its allegations were confirmed by Matron Stebbins herself. She had not had sole charge of the women locked in the cells, not had charge of them at all indeed, nor did she understand that was a part of her duty; neither has she attended police court when women were on trial.

Section 2 of the article defining the duties of police matron reads:

"The said police matron shall be required to care for female prisoners and children at the central police station, and perform such other duties as pertain to such persons, and shall be on duty during such hours as may be directed by the chief of police."

No one disputes that the matron has done all the chief requires of her. The question is, has Chief O'Dwyer, in not having the matron called to look up and take care of drunken and criminal women, caused this section to be violated?

Mayor Emmick was asked if Chief O'Dwyer was in charge of the police to interpret or to execute the law, and further if he would himself interpret the law and see that its provisions are carried out, the mayor gave it as his opinion that the matron should have charge of the keys of all cells or rooms in which female prisoners and children are detained, and assured the ladies of the committees that this course should hereafter be pursued.

The ladies further urged that the matron should accompany the female prisoners to the court room, for the reason that her presence there would tend to restrain improper and unnecessary coarseness in conducting the trials of these unfortunates.

The ladies looked into the room where women and children are detained who are not locked up in cells and inasmuch as only one room is provided they suggested that the room be partitioned off, and that the inner room so made should be for women and girl children only, having no outlet except through a door into the matron's room. The mayor approved of the suggestion, and will have the change made. A few other minor changes were also suggested.

Mayor Emmick expressed his desire to do all that he could in the matter of having female prisoners properly cared for, and without doubt the sentiment of all the good men and women of Toledo will be with him and with the women's organizations in the conclusion that it is the police matron's business, and not that of any man, to take charge of female prisoners. It was for this the office of police matron was created.

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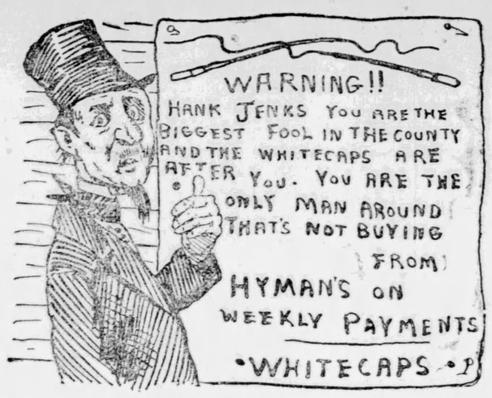

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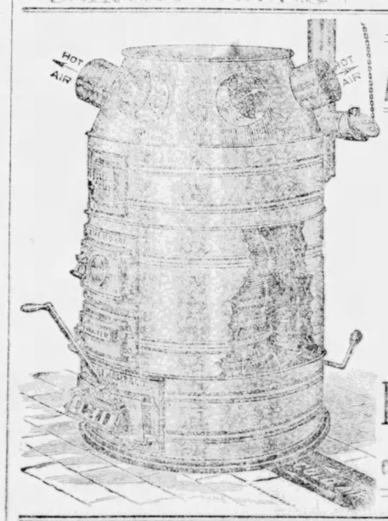

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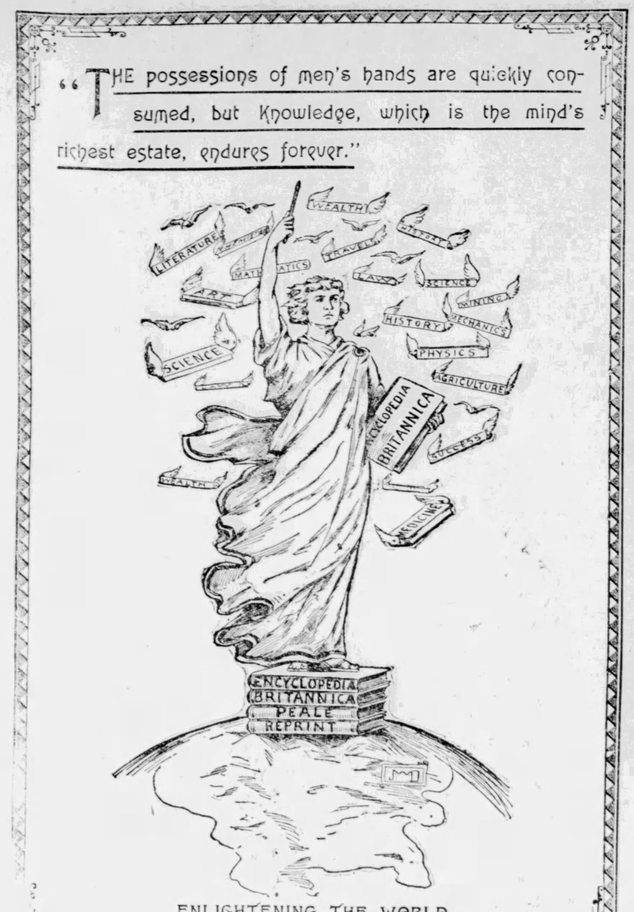

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CURRENT TOPICS.

The American Society for the Extension of University Teaching is to hold a national conference on university extension, at Philadelphia, on the evening of December 29; the morning, afternoon and evening of December 30; and the morning of December 31. The preliminary announcement has already called forth wide and cordial response. Many prominent men have signified their desire to be present. Among them are President Gillman, of Johns Hopkins university; President Snahr, of Franklin and Marshall college; President Burleson, of Texas; President Patton, of Princeton; Superintendent E. W. Jones, of St. Charles, Mo.; U. S. Commissioner of Education, Hon. Wm. T. Harris, President Webster, of Union college; Superintendent Wildes, of Fort Dodge, Iowa; and President Harper, of Chicago.

Mr. Michael E. Sadler, secretary of Oxford university extension, will present the salient features of the English movement. Some of the topics to be discussed at this meeting are: "The Function and Method of the Class in the University Extension;" "The Object and Method of Paper Work;" "The Composition of Local Committees;" "Methods of Financial Support;" "Qualities and Duties of the University Extension Lecturer;" "Forms of Organization of University Extension Work;" "Certificates for Work Done in Extension Courses;" "Liberal v Technical Subjects of Instruction." One entire session will be devoted to reports of the experiences of university extension organizers throughout the United States and Canada. The conference bids fair to be one of the largest ever held in the interests of university extension.

Reduced railway fares and hotel accommodations will be offered. For full information in regard to the subject, address Mr. George Henderson, 1602 Chestnut street, Philadelphia.

The long-distance telephone is quietly reaching out for all important points, and one of these days it will come forward as the most formidable rival of the telegraph. The American Bell Telephone company of Boston has now under construction fifty lines between New York and Chicago. As each line has two wires and the distance between the two cities is about 980 miles, the total quantity of wire required for these lines is 98,000 miles, enough to go four times around the globe. These lines are all built with copper wire, weighing 174 pounds to the mile. At this rate 17,052,000 pounds, or 8,526 tons of wire is required for this undertaking.

A synopsis made from the newspapers of the United States for 1890 by a contemporary shows that among the crimes committed to get money to gamble with are two burglaries, 18 forgeries, 85 embezzlements, while 32 persons holding positions of trust in banks and other places in mercantile life absconded. The enormous sum of $2,898,372 is shown by his same record to have been pilfaged. To these known crimes add the long list of thefts, embezzlements larcenies and defalcations which are kept covered by friends and others interested; then figure out the sum total. It would make the head spin. There never was a period when the preaching of the moral law was more needed in the pulpit, nor one which called more loudly for the enforcement of civil laws by the courts.

Within the borders of the old Bay state are more than 900 "abandoned farms," says the Boston Globe. A list of many of these forsaken homesteads is accessible at the headquarters, and and one who wishes a country life and country air can have his longing gratified for a very small outlay in cash. Most of these abandoned farms are found in the hill towns of the western counties—ideally "beautiful for situation," many of them, and lacking only the touch of the wand Wealth to become magnificent manors. Essex has less than any other county—except Suffolk, where farms of any kind are rare, if not precisely "few and far between." There seems to be no good reason why such places should go to "rack and ruin" when hundreds of city folk are longing for a summer home at a modest price. It is certainly to be hoped that the state board of agriculture will speedily find new owners for these abandoned lands in Massachusetts.

The rolling-mill which has recently been built at the Krupp works, at Essen, Germany, probably surpasses in size and effectiveness and similar plant in the world. It is used for rolling armor plates 28 inches in thickness and nearly twelve feet wide.

An idea of the size of this ponderous piece of machinery may be obtained from the statement that the rolls, which are made of crucible steel, weighed in the rough state 100,000 pounds. The entire plant of rolls, reversing engines and heating furnaces is served by cranes capable of moving 300,000 pounds, while the shears, with long steel blades, cut through the plates as easily as ordinary shears cut through paper.

The entire work, from ingot to the finished plate, is handled by hydraulic automatic machinery.

It is gratifying to learn from the New Orleans Times-Democrat that the celebration of Thanksgiving Day in the south was far more general and hearty this year than ever before. It was a holiday everywhere, even where the legislature had not made it so. Banks and public offices were generally closed, business suspended, services held in the churches and a genuine Thanksgiving dinner of roast turkey and fixings, hitherto a rarity, was eaten with great gusto. A few years ago Thanksgiving was a mere name in the south and wholly unobserved.

The great steel bridge across Columbia river at Vancouver will be one of the most notable as well as gigantic constructions of its kind. It will be 6,000 feet from the Washington to the Oregon shore, will be double-tracked with roadway on top for teams, and the whole erected upon pneumatic piers. The pivotal pier, or draw-pier, will support a draw giving an opening of as much as 200 feet space on either side for vessels to pass, and the span, which is immediately south of the draw span, will be 375 feet; the whole structure to be of steel, built 10 feet above the high water of 1876 and 40 feet above low water. Among the engineering difficulties presented in this undertaking the most notable has been the sandy foundation, rendering it necessary to go down some 80 feet below water to obtain a firm foundation.

In the December number of Scribner's the following is said in "The Point of View:"

If the American young man who loves his work for his work's sake, and need not get his bread by it, should elect to take a hand in the government of cities, the result might be comforting to that respectable body of citizens who are tired of being governed by men who are in that business primarily because they find it a source of income. Of course, when the man who loves his work for his work's sake comes into competition in municipal politics, as elsewhere, with the man who is working for his dinner, his coat must come off, metaphorically speaking, if he is to accomplish anything. That is the beauty of it. It would be hard work, harder than yacht racing, or even polo; less vainly amusing, and less cheaply glorious: and fitter, for those reasons, to satisfy the aspirations of an energetic and devoted spirit.

It seems impossible to get at the true facts in regard to the famine in Russia. Some accounts place the number of people suffering from it as high as 20,000,000 or 30,000,000, and many heartrending narratives of its widespread effects have been published. A St. Petersburg dispatch of Tuesday's date says the area affected by the famine is nearly half as large as the United States, but that the population is only 4,000,000. The explanation of these contradictory statements is to be found in the fact that the czar is as reluctant to let the affairs of his empire become known as were Balmaceda in Chili and Fonseca in Brazil in regard to the status of their fortunes.

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The Feast of Good Things at the O. Y. C. Stag Party.

The Orators of the City Let Loose on an Unsuspecting Audience—Gunckel to Pay a Forfeit.

"Hark, hark to the sound stealing faint through the wood,
Heart hammers, breath thickens swift rushes the blood,
It swells from the thicket more loud and more near,
'Tis the hound giving tongue, he is driving the deer,
My rifle is leveled—swift trampings are heard—
A rustle of leaves—then with flight like a bird,
His antlers thrown back and his body in motion
With quick rise and fall like the surge of the ocean,
His eyeballs wide rolling in frenzied affright,
Outbursts the magnificent creature in sight;
A low cry I utter; he stops—bends his head,
His nostrils distended, limbs quaking with dread,
My rifle cracks sharp—he springs wildly on high
Then pitches down headlong to quiver and die."

The stag party given by the Ohio Yacht club last evening for an impromptu affair was productive of more genuine amusement than any entertainment that has been given in Toledo in a score of years. Besides being a typical stag party, it was also a successful deer roast, and Captain McKenzie had the thanks of entertainers and guests alike for as delicious a piece of venison as ever fell beneath the unerring aim of a huntsman in the wilds of Wisconsin.

There were 48 toasts on the program, and when Commodore Bills in the name of the club welcomed the visiting guests a feeling of anticipated pleasure in the coming oratorical efforts pervaded the room.

"Gentlemen, I claim your attention just a moment." At the sound of the commodore's sonorous tones the last table was deserted, the rolling of the pool and billiard balls suddenly ceased, and in a moment all were attention. Mr. Bills then delivered a brief address of welcome, and introduced Captain Geo. L. Butterfield, who responded to the toast, "Capt. Donald McKenzie," the gentleman who annually presents the club with a deer. Captain Butterfield paid a handsome tribute to the Michigan sailor and huntsman.

Mayor V. J. Emmick briefly responded to "Toledo" in a happy speech, and Mr. Robinson Locke caught the crowd with his response to "The Press." As a charter member of the organization he had expected better treatment at the hands of the members. The introduction by him of the following resolution evoked much laughter:

Whereas, It has been learned with profound sorrow by the members of the Ohio Yacht club that the entertainment committee has made the grave mistake of assigning the toast, "The Press," to one member of the club, to the manifest injustice of several far more worthy ones; and

Whereas, Commodore Bills, by his long and varied experience in extracting free notices from newspapers while he was skipper for the Wheeler opera house, is thoroughly well qualified to talk on this hackneyed and threadbare subject; and

Whereas, Secretary Cunckel, that most talented inventor of highly improbable, not to say utterly impossible, fish stories, has so successfully worked the newspapers in publishing these delicious fairy tales as to make him competent to speak on "The Press;" and

Whereas, The modest member to whom was assigned this subject could have been vastly more entertaining in a task on something with which he was perfectly familiar—yachting, for instance; therefore, be it

Resolved, That Messrs. Bills and Gunckel be called upon at some time and place to be hereafter decided upon, to deliver a joint address on the Power of the Press as viewed from the respective standpoints of a successful, though retired, theatrical manager, and an ardent, though altogether too truthful, fisherman.

The resolution was adopted amid uproarious applause, the vote being called for by Commodore Bills.

Mr. F. N. Quale was given one minute to tell his experience on "My First Cruise." Mr. Quale proceeded to give a humorous account of a "yachting" expedition he made to Pelee island on the sand sucker "Companion." The trials and tribulations of the trip were amusing. When he had spoken a few minutes he remarked that the time allotted him had probably expired.

"Yes," responded Toastmaster Bills, "I guess we had better give your comedy in two acts. We will call on you later."

Mr. Wm. Beatty was given 50 seconds to tell "What I Believe." He said had he been asked to tell "What I Know," he could have done it in the allotted time, without difficulty, but as it was, he would be obliged to occupy at least two of the three hours allotted to Capt. Purney. He believed the Toledo Press club was under certain obligations to the Ohio Yacht club, and he believed the O. Y. C. was one of the finest institutions in the land.

Capt. M. T. Huntley did not exhaust his two minutes in talking of the "East Side Water Works," and Capt. McMaken in response to "Our Army" spoke very briefly. Mr. Robert Dakin spoke of "Our Navy," and Mr. Wm. Moorehouse was not to be found when his turn to tell his experience in "Buggy Yachting" came. Hon. L. H. Pike had a minute to tell what he knew about "Our Court House." Capt. Tracy used more than a minute on his topic, but his paper was a gem.

Some idea of the toasts may be gleaned from the very naming of them. "Political Economy" was Mr. Tim Leroux's text, and he said when making a political fight he paid his own bills and did not know if there was any economy in doing otherwise. The full list of toasts were as follows: Some were responded to, several speakers were excused, while a few others failed to put in an appearance until after the program had been concluded.

Com. Geo. W. Bills—"Welcome"—3 minutes.

Capt. Geo. L. Butterfield—"Capt. Donald McKenzie"—10 minutes.

Hon. V. J. Emmick—"Toledo"—12 minutes.

Mr. Robinson Locke—"The Press"—14 minutes.

Col. C. A. Flickinger—"The Ohio Yacht Club"—2 minutes.

Mr. F. N. Quale—"My First Cruise"—1 minute.

William Beatty—"What I Believe"—50 seconds.

Capt. M. T. Huntley—"East Side Water Works"—2 minutes.

Horace J. Potter, Esq.—"Country Whist"—40 seconds.

Capt. W. V. McMaken—"Our Army"—2 minutes.

Robert Dakin—"Our Navy"—2 minutes.

Mr. William H. Moorehouse—"Buggy Yachting"—30 seconds.

Mr. W. G. Church—"The Toledo Traveling Men"—3 minutes.

Moses G. Bloch—"A Night with Shakespeare"—59 seconds.

W. H. A. Read, Esq.—"The Charge of the 400"—1 minute.

Dr. T. J. Woods—"The Sunny Side of Italy"—3 minutes.

Capt. F. A. Lee—"The Record of the Kate Graham"—10 seconds.

Hon. Clem Carpenter—"Chilian Poetry"—40 seconds.

Capt. Dennison Steele—"Yacht Measurements"—5 seconds.

Col. W. E. Ludlow—"Our Non-Resident Members"—4 minutes.

Hon. L. H. Pike—"Our Court House"—1 minute.

Parks Hone, Esq.—"Night Yachting at Point Place"—3 minutes.

Hon. Tim Leroux—"Political Economy"—1 minute.

Col. Lafayette Lyttle—"Secret Societies"—1 minute.

Capt. C. P. Curtis—"Why Water Runs Up Hill"—3 minutes.

William Clarke—"Paris by Gas Light"—25 seconds.

Mr. D. B. Burgert—"Type Writers"—1 second.

Hon. Charles Nuendorff—"Our Common Council"—3 minutes.

Mr. M. R. Dyer—"How to Run a Hotel"—2 minutes.

Hon. J. Frank Zahm—"Our Millionaires"—10 seconds.

Mr. Merwin Jackson—"The Siege of Sebastol"—1 minute.

Hon. James H. Pheatt—"What I Know About Sand"—1 second.

Mr. Henry T. Marshall—"Cushioncaroms"—5 seconds.

Hon. Geo. H. Ketcham—"hWat I Know About Farming"—3 seconds.

Mr. C. H. Durian—"China Emigration"—2 minutes.

Capt. Geo. A. Heinl—"Picturesque West Toledo"—4 seconds.

Mr. W. F. Van Loo—"Our 7th Ward Fishing Club"—1 second.

Mr. J. M. McNamar—"My System"—10 seconds.

Hon. James Blass—"The Ladies"—50 minutes.

Mr. James H. Southard—"Our Relations with Portugal"—1 minute.

Col. C. H. Voute—"Fish and Fishing"—2 minutes.

Capt. Chas. Hubbard—"Goose Point"—1 minute.

Vice-Com. Edwin Mitchell — "The Shamrock"—2 minutes.

Mr. Geo. Craig—"Our Regatta Committee"—2 minutes.

Capt. Henry Tracy—"Inter-Lak e Association"—1 minute.

Mr. Herman R. Klauser—"Early Yachting"—2 minutes.

Elmer White—"Something Good to Eat"—2 hours.

Capt. T. C. Purney—"Something Good to Drink"—3 hours.

At the conclusion of the flow of soul an attack was made on the heavily laden tables, and it was a caution to see what vim and vigor everyone showed in attacking that deer and side issues.

The orchestra of the People's theater were on hand and furnished some excellent music. A march, especially dedicated to the O. Y. C., opened the musical program.

The following gentlemen, assisted by the entire membership of the club present did the honors: G. Willis Morse, Dick Moore, Col. C. H. Voute, Commodore Bills, John E. Gunckel, Archie Gassoway, and James H. Pheatt.

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The talk and doubt as to whether The People's Savings, Loan and Building Co., or any other building association could pay 8 per cent. per annum compounded semi-annually, is decidedly a thing of the past. Some otherwise interested financiers of Toledo said it could not be done, but it has been done, and both the people and the directors of The People's Co. are delighted with the results. The People's Co. has matured and paid out at this compounded 8 per cent. rate over One Hundred Thousand Dollars since last August 4, their last semi-annual dividend period. The assets of The People's Co. now amount to $740,000, and by the time of the next February dividend period their assets will be more than three-quarters of a million dollars.

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While our hearts are stricken with grief as we sit in our silent and desolate home, listening in vain for the pattering of little feet and the music of children's voices, we can never forget the great kindness of neighbors and friends during the terrible ordeal through which we have passed.

We thank you, dear friends, for your helpful hands; for your kindly sympathy, for your beautiful floral offerings.

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Champaign, Ill., Dec. 10.—Yesterday afternoon word was received in the Illinois Central office in this city that a disastrous wreck of passenger train No. 1 had occurred at Arcola, several persons being badly injured, Engineer Woodruff fatally.

The accident was caused by a collision at the Midland crossing.

FACTS VERSUS THEORY.

Mr. James A. Young, Manager New York Life Insurance Co., Rooms No. 26 and 27, Bee Building:

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At an annual premium of $57.00, this policy of $2,000 for fifteen years cost $855.00; and you now pay for the policy $96.00 more than you received in annual premiums. This settlement is so satisfactory that I have taken and paid for another policy of $2,000 on the "Special Guarantee" plan to run 20 years.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) H. A. SCHLINGMAN.
Toledo, O., Dec. 8, 1891.

Agency at Toledo, O., Dec. 10, 1891.

Statement of the above policy combining insurance and investment:

Annual premium	$ 57.00
Annual premium for 15 years' term insurance	31.06
Investment portion of premiums paid	$ 25.94
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Cash value of policy at end of 15 years	951.02
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We leave the public to judge between these facts and the theory as recently advertised by President Green, of the Connecticut Mutual.

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THE BEST XXXX ALASKA SEAL SKIN COATS.	We are closing out our entire assortment of Genuine Alaska Seal Cloaks at the following prices:

	Former Price.	Now.
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Seal Garments make Royal Xmas Gifts. Don't miss this chance. Great Bargains in Short Fur Capes.

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TAX ON SPIRITS.

Madrid, Dec. 10.—It is stated by the Correspondencia that the government has determined to impose a heavy sur tax on spirits used in manufacturing.

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ROYALLY RECEIVED

Was Rev. D. M. Fisk and His Good Wife

At the First Congregational Church Last Night—Sketch of a Very Active and Useful Life.

The most delightful reception of the season was given last evening in the parlors of the First Congregational church for Rev. Daniel M. Fisk, A. M., Ph. D., junior pastor of the First Congregational church, and his wife. Rev. and Mrs. Fisk were assisted in receiving the guests by Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trowbridge, Mr. and Mrs. James Secor, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. Calloway, Mr. and Mrs. Shoemaker, and Mr. and Mrs. Kinnan. The following

Rev. D. M. Fisk.

committees discharged their duties in an excellent manner:

Door committee—Misses Bessie Schenck and May Calloway, and Messrs. Fred Tracy, Arthur Chase and Raymond.

Ushers—Messrs. W. H. Eager, W. T. Carrington, T. C. Le Baron, C. Kinnan, C. Thatcher.

Dining room—Mrs. Daniels, Mrs. W. H. Whitaker, Mrs. D. C. Baldwin, Mrs. J. Ketchum, Mrs. Dr. Edson.

Table committee—Mrs. Howell, Mrs. Nettleton, Mrs. Eddy.

Refreshments—Mesdames Pierce, Tipple and Peck.

Floral committee—Miss Anna Berdan and Mabel Daniels. Mrs. Suder and Heinl furnished the floral decorations.

Parlor committee—Judge and Mrs. Haynes, Mrs. V. H. Ketcham, Mrs. J. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Currier, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Paddock, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Cray, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Spitzer, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Boos, Mr. and Mrs. W. Heston, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Nettleton, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Walding, Mr. and Mrs. L. Tracy, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Schenck, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Raymond, the Misses Trost, Paddock, Bowman, Morehouse, Palmer, Heston, Daniels, Berdan, Lorenz, and Messrs. G. H. Stevens, Snell and Norton. The guests from abroad were Mrs. Howe, Mrs. Grosaman and Mr. Bennett, of Jackson, Mich.

The parlors were artistically decorated with palms, chrysanthemums and evergreens, and Tony Leon's orchestra discoursed sweet music during the evening. The scene was enchanting, and complete harmony prevailed. In the class rooms, where dainty refreshments were served, by sweet young misses, two tables were decorated in exquisite taste, white and green and pink being the prevailing colors. About five hundred guests paid their respects to Rev. and Mrs. Fisk, and the reception might be deemed the event of the season. It would seem that the elements united to make the affair a success, for it was a perfect night without as well as within.

Rev. W. W. Williams, senior pastor of the church made his ever-welcome presence a delight of the evening. Mr. Williams has returned from the South much improved in health.

Rev. D. M. Fisk accepted the call extended to him by the trustees of the First Congregational church of this city the first of September, and has since that time, proven his capacity as an intellectual, broad and eloquent divine. One Toledo gentleman, who has traveled much, is not a churchmember, but who has heard the different world-renowned divines, said, after hearing one of Rev. Fisk's sermons: "He is equal to any I have ever heard; why, the very buttons on his coat glisten with intelligence."

Rev. Fisk's ancestry is as follows: English(father's side.) Scotch (Gordon—mother's side.) His great grandfather and three great uncles were in the revolutionary war, three of the four fell in war. Prof. Fisk has in his library the identical powder-horn borne by Ebenezer Fisk, his great grandfather, at Bunker Hill.

Prof. Fisk's grandfather was a clergyman and founder of churches in New Hampshire. His father, a clergyman for over fifty years, and a speaker of more than the average pulpit power. His mother was a woman of great energy. Would it not be strange if Prof. Fisk did not have a wonderful power to do good, considering the ability of his ancestors.

Prof. Fisk was born in New Hampton, N. H., April 10, 1846, on a mountain farm, one edge being 1,000 feet higher than the other edge, the scenery at this point being magnificent. His father, at this time was pastor of a local church. As a child, Prof. Fisk was an early enthusiast for nature, and as he became older he attended a seminary in New Hampshire, making a study of English and Latin and Greek, and he afterward attended Brown's University, Providence, R. I., and graduated in 1869. He then taught school in Douglass, Mass., as principal of the high school; 'twas there that he met the charming woman whom he now calls wife, and who has made his life so complete. He was master in the High street grammar school at Fall River, Mass., one year. In 1872 Mr. Fisk was called to the chair of biology in Hillsdale college, Mich. He was enthusiastic and energetic and labored incessantly, developing every resource of his especial department. In 1873 he traveled in Europe, accompanied by his wife. He is the author of three text books, organic chemistry, chemistry and biology. The honorary degrees of A. M. and Ph. D. have been conferred upon him, and twice he has declined a college presidency. A biological labratory was founded in Hillsdale college, equipped for 70 students, of which he was professor for 14 years, during which time he did much outside work, lecturing, delivering sermons, addresses, etc.

Several bright Toledo residents were formerly students of Prof. Fisk, among whom were Mrs. C. E. Bentley and Mrs. E. M. Irving.

Prof. Fisk was pastor in Jackson, Mich., in June, 1886, where there was the most cordial relations with church and city. Two years ago another European trip was taken, visiting Scotland, England, France, Germany and Switzerland. After his return he assisted in the development of Benzonin college, Mich., giving the dedicatory address of Barber Hall, Thanksgiving day of 1890. Prof. Fisk has been an indefatigable worker, and that he has been instrumental in accomplishing a vast amount of good in his church and abroad has and is being manifested. His wife, who possesses unusual mental powers, is a womanly woman, whose time is divided between her three children and her parochial duties.

Prof. Fisk's sermons since coming here have been chiefly in the direction of laying broad foundations for a rational belief and conduct. No one is likely to criticise his pulpit work as narrow, or arbitrary. A little later it is easy to surmise his themes will take a more applied turn, as one may say, indeed, the subjects announced for next Sunday show the beginning of this tendency—the first a practical study of the home, and the evening treating of the power of young men.

BLACK GOODS 35 PER CENT. LESS THAN EVER SOLD FOR BEFORE.	Owing to the great stagnation of the New York markets, we were able to secure a large purchase of Fine Black Dress Goods, in Silk-warp Henrietta, Wool-warp Henrietta and Fine Wool Serges. These goods will arrive and be placed on sale Monday morning. Be sure and see them. Do you know a Nice Black Dress makes a Fine Xmas Gift? LASALLE & KOCH.

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Superintendent Pierce's Twenty-fifth Anniversary—An Incentive to Marry—Free Delivery.

Capt. William Pierce, superintendent of mails of the Toledo postoffice, to-day celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of his connection with the postoffice. Postmaster Brown, speaking of the fact this morning, said: "Mr. Pierce is one of the most efficient and oldest men in the service. His reputation as superintendent of the department extends from ocean to ocean, and he is an A1 man."

Besides this, "Billy" Pierce is one of the best fishermen and jolliest companions in the country.

Postmaster Brown has made it a point to employ, as far as possible, none but single men for night work. The result has been a wonderful increase in the number of married employes, and there is hardly a week that some of the boys is not "jumping the fence." Mr. Brown's policy seems to be a sound one, and he increases the efficiency of the service by creating more of a demand for that service.

Considerable difficulty is being experienced by the department in the matter of free delivery in the local outlying districts. A carrier only works eight hours a day, and to make two trips to some of the districts is an utter impossibility unless patrons assist as best they can. It was generally agreed that patrons would answer the carrier's whistle, and receive and deliver mail without obliging him to leave his cart. Some, however, object to this, and the result is the service is limited and will remain so.

The money order department is doing a rushing business and will until after New Year's. There is a great demand for foreign orders. Mr. Brown has made arrangements for prompt service.

KILLED WHILE AT WORK.

Fatal Explosion of a Ladle Filled With Boiling Metal.

Pittsburg, Dec. 10.—At 9 o'clock this morning a ladle filled with molten metal exploded at the Lucy furnace on Fifty-second street, fatally burning James Mardella, aged 45, and Peter Hidkey, aged 33. Leonard Beck, Patrick McCane and Raymond Carlill were also terribly burned and may not recover.

The cause of the accident is not fully known. It is supposed there was water in the bottom of the ladle when the men attempted to fill it.

SUNOL IN NEW YORK.

New York, Dec. 10.—Sunol, the trotter, arrived here in good condition and was placed in Robert Bonner's stable.

Stick to it! Sometimes you may have to wait. The troubles that have been years in gathering can't always be cleared away in a day. For all the diseases and disorders peculiar to womanhood, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the surest and speediest remedy. You can depend upon that—but if your case is obstinate, give it reasonable time.

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Michael J. Enright and James H. Craig, residing in the city of Chicago, state of Illinois, and Mary Margaret Enright, residing in the city of Grand Forks, county of Grand Forks, state of North Dakota, will take notice that Amelia A. Enright on the 28th day of November, 1891, filed her petition in the court of common pleas of Lucas county, Ohio, against the said defendants, Michael J. Enright, Mary Margaret Enright, Charles J. Kirschner and Charles A. Wilson, the object and prayer of which petition was to set aside a deed from the said Amelia A. Enright conveying lots 156 and 157, Swayne Place, in the city of Toledo, Lucas county, Ohio, through a trustee to the said M. J. Enright, in trust, on the ground that the said deed was made through wrongful acts of coercion on the part of the said M. J. Enright; to set aside a deed of the same property from the said M. J. Enright to the said Mary Margaret Enright in trust for the children of plaintiff and said M. J. Enright on the ground that the said deed was made for the fraudulent purpose of preventing plaintiff from recovering the title to the said property; also to recover a judgment for alimony against the said defendant, M. J. Enright, for failure to support said plaintiff and the custody of her youngest child Helen.

That on the 9th day of December, 1891, a supplemental petition was filed in the said action making the said James H. Craig a party defendant, setting forth that since the commencement of this suit the said James H. Craig filed for record in the recorder's office of Lucas county, Ohio, a deed from the said M. J. Enright conveying to him all the real estate described in the petition excepting the said lots 156 and 157, Swayne Place. That the said deed was made without consideration and for the purpose of defeating plaintiff's said claim for alimony, and asking that said deed be set aside. The said defendants will take notice that an order of injunction was granted by said court on the 30th day of November, 1891, in this action restraining the said M. J. Enright from in any manner disposing of any of his real estate in Lucas county and described in petition, and the said Chas. J. Kirschner and Charles A. Wilson from paying over to the said M. J. Enright any moneys due and owing to them on account of the sale or lease of any of the said real estate; and the said Michael J. Enright and Mary Margaret Enright and James H. Craig are required to appear and answer the said petition on or before Saturday, February 6th, 1892.

AMELIA A. ENRIGHT,
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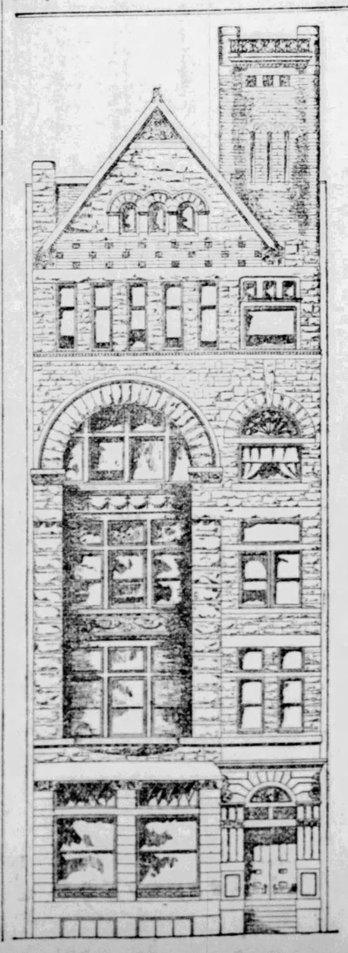

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TOLEDO, OHIO, DECEMBER 10, 1891.

Major Bickham now says he thinks Sherman will be elected. Evidently there is an element of doubt in the major's mind.

Col. Clarence Brown expressed general public sentiment when he demanded at the last gas board meeting that somebody be sent to the field for more fuel.

The concensus of democratic opinion is all commendatory of the election of Speaker Crisp. Now that it is done, democrats believe the best is done. No serious mistakes will be made when Crisp is in the chair.

Blaine's popularity for candidate seems to rest solely on his reciprocity amendment to the tariff bill he so savagely denounced. If a little expansion of trade policy is welcomed as so great a boon, what would a downright sensible, democratic revision mean?

President Harrison will please excuse the democrats if they do not change the Michigan plan until after the next presidential election. Half a dozen electoral votes from the Wolverine state may be just the requirement to elect a democrat. Wait awhile, Mr. Harrison.

John Hopley, of the Bucyrus Journal, is the Nestor of the republican press of Ohio, and he is as able as the ablest, yet there is not a Foraker newspaper in the state that does not abuse him, because he advocates the re-election of Senator Sherman. Such is republican politics in Ohio.

Attention is called to a very intelligent paper on municipal government in this impression of the Bee from the pen of Mr. George P. Kirby, clerk to his Honor Mayor Emmick. The paper was originally read before the New Century club. It is exceedingly interesting and contains much valuable information.

The reader of that strangely interesting volume, Caesar's Column, the authorship of which is attributed to Ignatius Donnelly, will recall the agency of force which finally destroyed society. Perhaps it was the bomb period Mr. Donnelly predicted, and perhaps the Russell Sage bomber had carefully studied Caesar's Column.

Mr. Butterworth must be read out of the party. He says he saw no pauper labor during his sojourn in Europe. An exchange reminds him that pauper labor doesn't disport itself at banquets. Mr. B. has made several original and sensational suggestions since the return from his flying visit to the effete monarchies, and he needs nudging.

The probable removal of the Lozier & Yost bicycle works from Toledo is unfortunate, and the more regrettable from the fact that promises of Toledoans to the firm remain unfulfilled. They were promised a street railway extension, that was not much. They were induced to locate here and then were allowed to drift. It is a shame, and discreditable to Toledo.

From sources believed to be reliable comes the story that the republicans of Toledo look with envy upon the one little democratic oasis in this great republican desert—the police board—and that "rip" is the word. A bill is in course of preparation to turn the department over to the republican politicians. It is not made known whether Griffin or Flickinger will father the scheme.

The arrest of Major Overman for alleged embezzlement of government funds was a shocking surprise to his friends along Lake Erie, where he has had charge of government improvements for a number of years. His commanding officer, Gen. Casey, is loth to believe the story, and says at most the reputed discrepancy does not amount to $500. Personal enemies are the major's accusers, especial vindictive feeling being manifest in Cleveland.

Col. Ike Hill, of Newark, Ohio, is almost as indispensable to congress as Gen. Fred Blankner is to the Ohio legislature. For a period of twenty years of more he has been one of the assistant sergeant-at-arms of the house of representatives. Mr. Yoder has just reappointed him to his old position, and when Ike, bearing the official mace of authority, stalks down the aisles a noisy and obstreperous house immediately comes to order. Isaac is a true blue democrat and a notable character of Washington life.

Toledo will be well represented at the Detroit waterways convention by D. B. Smith, F. J. Zahm and Mr. Bellman. The convention is called for the purpose of uniting the marine interests of the great chain of lakes for better work before the committees of congress. The connecting channels of the lakes require deepening, and the harbors need to be improved. Liberal appropriations must be secured, and united effort will accomplish all that is desired. Much good will result from the Detroit convention.

This expression of republican harmony is from that porcupinish source, the Cleveland Leader:

If the assertion of the Commercial-Gazette that not half a dozen first-class papers inside of Ohio, except those "under the dominion of federal patronage" are for Sherman, be true, then twenty-three out of every twenty-four republican editors of Ohio are so mercenary that a little patronage can buy their influence. We respectfully commend this slander to the attention of the republican editors of the state. If they do not repudiate it and the organ responsible for it we much mistake their temper.

The scripture-quoting organ of New York unwittingly confesses to the exact meaning of the tariff tax when it says:

The south was the original home of the protective theory, but when under its stimulating and fostering influences the east sprung into pre-eminence as a manufacturing section the south began to repudiate a policy that was doing more for others than for themselves.

That is the heart and center of it all: A policy that should "do more" for one section, or business, than for another. It is that un-American principle that the democracy will combat so long as the old flag waves over the pernicious doctrine and its results.

Secretary Foster is reported recovering from a severe sickness which was first noticed a month since. The doctors called it grippe, though the past week typhoid symptoms developed. Defective plumbing and a bad sewerage system is most likely the cause of the Secretary's illness. Secretary Manning's death was attributed to the same cause and Secretary Windom was similarly affected for some time before his death. Secretary Folger, of President Arthur's cabinet, also complained of the poor ventilation of the treasury department. It would seem that the government might easily remedy that defect. Brains and money can do it.

BOUNTY AND TARIFF.

Vermont maple sugar growers expect to get $100,000 and more, bounty next spring. How do the growers of corn and potatoes and apples enjoy such discrimination? Can anybody give any reason for such a law, or find any justice in it? If the beet and maple sugar growers must be aided by government, why not give them protection in the regulation way? Or why not put a hundred other products on the free list and pay bounties for what is manufactured at home? These questions have been asked hundreds of times but never once answered. Of course we know the true inwardness of this special legislation. It was an opportunity to give the south a jab while by the bounty act the northern sugar producers were taken care of, and by a feature of the law for their benefit the refiners were left under the wing of tax protection. That there was a particle of sincerity in the manipulation of the sugar business, no one for a moment believes. But enough hurrah has been made about the matter by republicans to lead one to infer that they considered it a most praiseworthy thing to reduce the price of an article to the consumer by taking off the tariff. Why they stopped short with the one article has never been explained, except by Mr. McKinley in a campaign speech. He told an audience of Ohio men and women that the people would never submit to taxation for bounties to the extent that the tariff took from them, in a roundabout way which they do not feel and do not understand. And this is solemn truth and would have been frank and commendable if it had not been followed with the usual asseverations that the tariff cheapens goods to the consumer, the foreign trader pays the tax direct into the United States treasury (and a rebate goes to the manufacturer!) and the law is enacted primarily for the benefit of laboring people (mostly foreigners in protected industries, for whom employers have such tender regard they spend big money in Washington against a reduction!)

Any honest analysis of the subject always leads into the same ridiculous labyrinth, whether you start with the sugar bounty or the tax on wool, salt, lumber, tin or earthenware. And Gov. McKinley's indavertent admission is true: the people see and understand it too well in bounty form; there is better opportunity for fooling them by way of a tariff tax called by the pleasant sounding name of "protection."

KEEP AN EYE ON GORMAN.

Some of the warmest friends of Grover Cleveland are firm in the conviction that he will not permit his name to be presented to the democratic convention for renomination. And this determination, with the certain knowledge that he could easily be nominated, and as easily elected. The honors of the office he has enjoyed to the fullest extent, and no further elevation to power and honor could establish him more securely than he is at present in the affections of the people of the United States. He may be ambitious only for the great respect which voluntary retiracy sometimes brings to a foremost citizen. Certainly he is the democrat of democrats to-day and his future is of his own making. In the event that Mr. Cleveland shall decline to lead the democratic party to victory no other man thus far mentioned in connection with the presidency occupies so commanding a position as Senator Gorman. He possesses elements of leadership which commend him to his party. A plebian by birth and a commoner by education he has gone to the front in Maryland politics in spite of the patrician opposition of the blue bloods. He is a typical American citizen and a representative democrat. In calculating upon presidential possibilities the reader should not forget the Gorman movement, which promises to be formidable.

CRISP AND THE TARIFF.

Pending the election of speaker of the house of representatives the New York World requested the several candidates to give their views on the tariff question for public comparison. Mr. Crisp responded by quoting this paragraph from one of his speeches in the committee of the whole in the fifty-first congress:

Mr. Chairman, the committee on ways and means have spent months of restless days and sleepless nights trying to find some plan that will give relief to the farmers of this country. I can suggest a plan of relief in five minutes. Modify the existing tariff laws; reduce taxation; permit some reasonable competition in the market; destroy trusts; accord equal rights to all and special privileges to none. Do these things and you will help them. Give the farmer free salt. That would help a little. You give it to the fisherman on the coast of Maine and on the coast of Massachusetts; why not give it to the farmer? Give him free bagging, in which the farmer of the west sacks his corn and with which the farmer in the south wraps his cotton. Give him free iron ties, with which in the south he binds his cotton bales and with which in the west he bales his hay.

Give him some reduction on his hats, on his woolen clothes, and on his cotton goods. In that way, and in that way only, can you benefit the great mass of the farmers of the south and west. You can not increase the price of their products and protective-tariff duties, but you can decrease them the cost of production and of living by reducing the tariff on those articles used to make their crops and on those articles of necessity which all families must use.

Democrats in every section of the country will indorse these sentiments so tersely and clearly expressed. No steps backward in a congress presided over by such a speaker.

HOW IT OPERATES.

An enterprising citizen had concluded to erect a handsome business block on St. Clair street, near the magnificent new Bee building. Negotiations for real estate were about concluded. The tax sharks pounced upon him, shook him up and dropped him with several hundred dollars of his money in their pockets. He was naturally incensed, and at once abandoned his building plan and took his capital to Chicago and invested it in real estate. This is one instance of the operation of the Morgenthaler scheme, which is only made possible by the contract which county officials have the power to make. They also may decline to make a contract. Which is the better for the growth and development of Lucas county?

A Minneapolis poet has queer ideas of "Paradise." He breaks forth

Oh! Mhanks! You're a ripper,
You're a wild and woolly skipper,
You're the girl to kick your slipper
Slap into the very skies.
You have captured the persimmon,
You have squeezed the yaller lemon,
You're a waving of your pennon
At the gates of Paradise.

Joquin Miller, the poet of the Sierras, eloped with his first wife and deserted her. He discarded his daughter because of her infatuation for the stage, and now that his son has been identified as the lone highwayman and stage robber of California, he has discarded him. Poor "Washoe" has had domestic trouble enough to make him wear his hair long and write crazy poetry. The boy says he might have done better if he had had different "bringing up."

"A Waterbury girl recently made a trip through Russia. Of course she was subjected to a keen watch."—Minneapolis Appeal. She should be thankful that her trip was not wound up in Siberia.—Washington Post.

And people should be thankful that the main-spring of her action was not to write a book.

Perhaps the selection of Crisp for speaker has or has not anything to do with Cleveland's chances; aye or nay, there is balm in Gilead. Baby Ruth has just been made the recipient of a more wonderful state carriage than was ever built for a royal baby. Swan shape, cream silk damask, pink plush, nickel plate and native hickory.

Prince Albert Victor, son of "Wales," is betrothed to his grandmother's second cousin, Princess Victoria May, daughter of the Duke of Teck, and all the papers of the kingdom are rejoicing that it is a thoroughly British affair. Must be stupid enough, all in the family, but royalty is used to such things.

It takes considerable gold or its equivalent in some other kind of cash to create a real low-down inebriate, and considerable gold in bi-chloride or other forms to restore him—to a wreck of his former self.

Denial to possess the thing we strive and struggle the most for often proves to be our salvation. Think of Mr. Blair in China at such a time as this.

Senator Sherman's Shrewdness.

Senator Sherman roared him as gently as a sucking dove when his colleague, Mr. Brice, presented himself to take the oath. He simply announced that a portion of the people of Ohio believed that Mr. Brice was not a resident of that state when elected and therefore not legally eligible. Senator Sherman carefully refrained from saying that he believed anything of this kind and as carefully took the opportunity to say that in the prima facia case of his credentials Mr. Brice was clearly entitled to be sworn in. Senator Sherman thus leaves the matter open for any Ohio aspirant to contest Mr. Brice's seat if he wants to. Senator Sherman himself does not want to, which shows that he still retains his mental faculties if he is getting old.—Philadelphia Times.

The Poor Rich Men.

Mr. Chauncey M. Depew says that rich men keep neither money nor securities in their offices. Mr. Clews says that rich men conduct their business, down to a $2 transaction, by checks. Mr. Sidney Dillon says that he never carries more than 50 cents in his pocket. On the whole, the New York millionaires have suddenly struck such a penniless condition generally that Gov. McKinley should feel moved to precipitate a special era of prosperity in their behalf.—Philadelphia Record.

Wouldn't It?

Senator Cullom's friends are pushing him for the vice presidency on the ground that only thus can Illinois be held securely in the republican column. If all the tottering republican states should equally make their precarious condition a claim for the position, what a wild and disgraceful scramble would inevitably follow!—Philadelphia Record.

Harrison May Be Relied On.

A New York paper has canvassed the senate and finds that while a new tariff bill may pass that body, the majority will not be large enough to overcome a presidential veto; and Harrison may be relied upon to be faithful to his bargain with the high taxers who contributed so liberally toward his election.—Kansas City Star.

Not Half Bad.

How would this ticket suit the democrats for 1892? Boies, of Iowa, for president; Russell, of Massachusetts, for vice president. Platform—"Whiskers must go." Starve the McKinley prices and cut down expenses." These men have clean faces, clean records, clean cut ideas.—New York Telegram.

Real Bostonese Modesty.

A new essayist observes that the newspaper most talked about, most praised, most blamed, most quoted and most widely read by all parties is the best newspaper. We think we recognize the picture, and we lift our hat.—Boston Herald.

Waning Family Prestige.

The descent in the mental and moral scale from Lord John Russell to his grandson affords a startling indictment against the British aristocracy, if it has a parallel in many other noble families, as other events have indicated.—Providence Journal.

DOWN WITH THE GRIP.

California People by the Hundreds Are Suffering.

San Francisco, Dec. 10.—Australian influenza, which is similar to grippe, has made its appearance in California. In Oakland and other towns hundreds are afflicted.

At Dr. Woolsey's hospital in Oakland all the wards and private rooms are filled with patients suffering from influenza.

The only fatal case thus far was that of P. H. McGrew, who was buried Tuesday.

The disease is also prevalent in this city, and many deaths are resulting.

MISSOURI WANTS HER RIGHTS.

She Is Entitled to Another Electoral Vote And Will Have It.

New York, Dec. 10.—When seen by a reporter last night Gov. Francis, of Missouri, said he had not yet decided whether he would call an extra session of the legislature of Missouri or not.

He said there were legal questions which must be settled before he decided upon his course of action.

If Missouri could not secure an extra electoral vote unless the state was redistricted, the legislature would be called together to redistrict the state.

GOULD RESIGNS.

He Will No Longer Captain the Yale Crew.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 10.—A big sensation was caused on the Yale campus this morning by the receipt of the following self-explanatory letter:

"To the president of the Yale Boat Club, E. H. Floyd Jones:

"Owing to circumstances over which I have no control I hereby tender my resignation as captain of the Yale crew.

"J. AVERY GOULD."

No explanation is offered privately or publicly.

PRESBYTERIAN UNIVERSITY.

Augusta, Ga., Dec. 10.—It is stated that the board of regents appointed to select a site for the Presbyterian South Atlantic university will report favorably to Augusta. The university will be built by the four Presbyterian synods, comprising the states of South Carolina, Georgia and Florida. It will be built at a cost of $300,000.

G. W. STEWART DEAD.

New York, Dec. 10.—George W. Stewart, 48 years old, of Adairsville, Ga., died suddenly last evening at the Orlando hotel, probably from heart disease. He was the inventor of a number of ingenious mechanical contrivances for farming implements.

THE NEW CONGRESS.

Mr. Reed may find out, before the session closes, what reciprocity is.—Philadelphia Record.

Congressman Hoar will occupy his venerable uncle's church pew in Washington on Sundays. On all other days of the week they will be occupied.—Boston Herald.

It must be very trying to Mr. Harrison to stay in Washington, just because congress is there, while ducks are so numerous.—Courier-Journal.

There is every indication of harmony between the Crisp and the Mills followers in the house, and Mr. Mills helped further that by his emphatic utterance on tariff reform in acknowledging the honor conferred upon him must silence all quibbles as to the attitude of the democratic majority of the house on that issue.—Philadelphia Times.

The Fifty-second congress will begin its work to-day in earnest. Many will be its duties, weighty its responsibilities. Regarding matters of detail there may be differences of opinion. But concerning the noble cause of the party and of the people the great democratic majority in the house will accordingly be of one thought and one mind. Speaker Crisp will lead a united and enthusiastic host to victory.—Boston Globe.

For the first time in many years the democratic majority in the house of representatives comes from the north instead of the south. This fact gave added interest to the late speakership contest. The basis of the balloting in various showed that sectionalism is dead, at least in the democratic party.—Grand Rapids Democrat.

MENTIONED ON THE STREETS.

That a building inspector is badly needed in Toledo.

That St. Paul's M. E. church will soon have a new soprano.

That the local militia are drilling the new tactics to perfection.

That another bank organization is contemplated for East Toledo.

That the present term of common pleas court is about to close.

That Auditor Jones is happy now that the tax duplicate nears completion.

That subscribers are taking the Hopkins map of the city just the same.

That the Chamber of Commerce will thrive under the new administration.

That the fire department is the pride of Commissioner Richardson's heart.

That the Ys entertainment to-morrow and Saturday will be a grand affair.

That the new German Dramatic club will give an entertainment every week.

That Col. Blossat is bringing the old Merchants' hotel to the front in great shape.

That Sheriff Stuart thinks more of his horse than some parents do of their children.

That the manufacturing interests of Toledo are as diversified as in any city of the state.

That the sidewalks are exceedingly uncertain just now, as a number of citizens can testify.

That the Clover Leaf is making some valuable improvements in its passenger department.

That the hotel business will soon become dull, while the boys are off the road for the holidays.

That is it a disgrace to the city to allow the streets and sidewalks to remain in such muddy condition.

That the bill for a wheel tax will be prepared in time to be presented to the legislature early in January.

That the growth of postoffice business is a fair sample of the steady progress of the city in many respects.

That Rev. Dr. Bacon will close his popular course of lectures at the Y. M. C. A. Monday evening, Dec. 21.

That it is about time the regulation story relative to the need of another national bank in the city was started on its rounds.

That Speaker Crisp has given the street corner jokers a great deal of amusement in the past few days springing jokes on his name.

That there is considerable disagreement in the building and loan circles in East Toledo which may or may not come to a head soon.

That an agreement has not yet been reached as to who will succeed President Boice of the Merchants' National bank, next year.

That John Nenhausel finds time to do a good job of singing with the choir of St. Mary's church, besides assisting in running a big dry goods store.

That F. M. Green, of the Western Union, is one of the most systematic men in the city, and is never perturbed either when bothered about alleged mistakes in bills.

That there are only a few cities in the country having one side of a business street crowded all the while and the opposite side almost deserted, as is the case with Summit street.

That the National Union councils will get down to business this month in the election of officers. It is said none but pushers are to be put on guard, as the new building has to go.

That it does one's heart good to stand across the street from the High school and look for half an hour at the hundreds of bright youths make their exit from the different doors.

That W. Z. McDonald, state inspector of workshops, has announced himself as a candidate for the secretaryship of the republican state league, and is pestering Toledo delegates with letters pleading for support.

That President W. I. Squire will marshal the hosts of a Toledo republican club at the inauguration of Governor-elect McKinley, as the ranking officer in the state. A movement is on foot to make ex-President Clarence Brown chief aid.

That it is mooted, should Charley Griffin fail in his race for the speakership, a congressional district will be mapped out for him, and all Forakerites will howl until he comes under the pole a winner. Griffin prefers the speakership.

LUMBER FAILURE.

New York, Dec. 10.—Messrs. Higgins Bros., wholesale and retail lumber dealers at 198 Eleventh avenue, assigned today to Patrick Moore without preferences.

SPEAKER CRISP.

With Mr. Crisp's induction into office will come a return to better methods and a larger freedom than that which was possible under the odious and discredited Reed regime.—Boston Globe.

All will agree that in the nomination of Mr. Crisp the democrats have made selection of a speaker who will do honor to the position and discharge its duties to the entire acceptation of both majority and minority.—Washington Post.

The "favorite son" stalking horses defeated Mills and gave success to a minority candidate. Nothing is more certain than that, had the battle been fairly and squarely between Mills and Crisp, with no side-show candidacies, Mr. Mills would have easily distanced his competitor.—St. Louis Republic.

"The election of Mr. Crisp will not complicate the presidential contest. No candidate for president will receive any advantage or disadvantage from it. The national convention will be left perfectly free to make the strongest candidate unhalloened by the result of the speakership fight. The democratic party is the party of the people and not a party of combinations."—Congressman Springer in Chicago Herald.

The vote of 119 to 105, by which Mr. Crisp defeated Mr. Mills, shows but a narrow margin of preference for the Georgian over the Texan, even if the division were altogether upon radical differences of opinion. It would therefore be absurd to try to import into the result important political meanings which from the nature of the case it cannot contain.—Baltimore Sun.

Mr. Crisp has shown himself on the floor of the house to be a skil, courageous, clear-headed, adroit and resourceful parliamentarian. In the speaker's chair he will doubtless evince the same qualities for the best interests of the democratic party, which in the Fifty-second congress stands for the whole country.—Philadelphia Record.

Mr. Crisp's long experience in congressional matters gives him an intimate acquaintance with the duties of his new position. And his knowledge of the needs of the country and of the men by whom he is surrounded will enable him to select the committees of the house with special reference to the juster conception of the people's business in congress.—Grand Rapids Democrat.

He has, as we stated the other day, the reputation of being an honest, upright man, and we do not doubt that he fully deserves it. We believe that he will be fair in his rulings, and that he will respect the rights of his political opponents. He showed in the sharp contests of the late congress that he was well versed in parliamentary practice, and is not easily flurried, nor is he to be cowed nor brow-beaten. But his legislative record does not offer the guarantee which Mr. Mills' public career would have afforded that the power of the chair will be used for the furtherance of democratic principles in their best development.—Boston Herald.

WANAMAKER'S WANDERINGS.

There is an affectation of frankness, of jocularity and of proverbial philosophy in this production of Mr. Wanamaker which causes both smiles and astonishment.—Boston Post.

Postmaster General Wanamaker favors rural free delivery of mail. It is a good idea, but the country will scarcely undertake it in the face of the late billion-dollar congress.—Kansas City Times.

His advocacy of postal telegraph and telephone lines, and of carrying packages free of carriage of newspapers to actual subscribers ought to have a marked effect upon the new congress.—New Haven Register.

Think of 1-cent letter postage, 3-cent telephone messages, and a dispatch by telegraph for only a dime! These things, and divers others of a highly roseate hue, the optimistic Mr. Wanamaker sees in his dreams of the future.—Boston Globe.

Postmaster General Wanamaker presents in his report all his pet schemes again—a postal telegraph, a postal telephone, postal savings bank and 1-cent postage. We have not the slightest idea that any of them will be adopted by congress.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

In his annual report Postmaster General Wanamaker favors postal telegraphs, telephones and savings banks. We question the propriety of these measures. The government of the United States was not established for the purpose of entering into private enterprises.—Hartford Times.

The Pennsylvania delegation would have been solid for Blaine with or without Quay. Wanamaker is not in Keystone politics except as a raiser of corruption funds. He doesn't count for the administration away from his bargain counter.—St. Louis Republic.

CLUBS AND SOCIETIES.

Meeting of the T. S. E. I.—Lucas County Narcotic Committee—Notes.

The Toledo Society of Economic Inquiry met in Steadman Business college last evening. In the absence of the president, Rev. Dr. Bacon, the vice-president, Mrs. A. P. Stevens, occupied the chair. The executive committee reported recommending that a number of gentlemen and ladies outside of the society be invited to give papers at the coming monthly meetings, and the report was concurred in.

The paper read last night was "The Evils of State Trading as Illustrated by the Postoffice," by Frederick Millar, of London, a resume of the failure of the parcel post, savings bank, insurance department, and telegraph, as forming a part of the postal system of England. In view of the recommendations of Postmaster General Wanamaker in his late report Mr. Millar's assertion that "the only branch of the English postal service which is a financial success is that of letter-carrying" is of present interest in this country. Nearly every one present took part in the discussion of the subject. The next meeting of the society will be in the same place, Wednesday evening, January 13. Essayist to be chosen by the committee; subject to be announced later.

The Loyal Legion of the First W. C. T. U. met this afternoon in the First Presbyterian church. Mrs. I. N. Applegate is leader of this very flourishing legion, which had 85 members present at the last meeting.

The Political Equality club organized last week on the East Side meets to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, with Mrs. Rachel Godfrey, 626 Platt street. The ladies of the Sixth ward are urged to attend. Mrs. Ellen S. Fray will be present, and the officers of the club will be chosen. Its present mission is to forward the work of securing school suffrage for the women of Ohio.

The quarterly ten of the foreign missionary societies of the M. E. churches of the city was held with Dr. and Mrs. Cosgrove, Auburndale, yesterday afternoon.

A large number of the members of Joan of Arc assembly were in attendance at their regular meeting at Walbridge hall last night. The hall committee were not yet ready to report, but hope before next week to have secured quarters even more desirable than their present location. Card parties and literary entertainments will be the social features of the order this winter, the grand ball announced for December 30 having been indefinitely postponed in respect to the memory of Mrs. Helen Kelly.

Copies of the beautiful Souvenir Journal of the fifteenth annual session of the general assembly of the Knights of Labor in this city were distributed among the members. A committee of three was appointed to draw up resolutions on the death of Mrs. Helen Lane Kelly. The committee reported the following resolutions, which were adopted:

Whereas, It has pleased God in His infinite wisdom to remove from our midst, Sister Helen Lane Kelly; therefore be it

Resolved, That the sad intelligence of the death of Sister Kelly is received by Joan of Arc assembly 10062 with feelings of profound sorrow and grief.

That in her demise our assembly has lost an energetic and faithful member; a member who was ever ready to respond cheerfully to any call the assembly might make; a member who was always pleasant and cheerful, and one that was ever willing to do whatever was calculated to advance the interests of our order; a member who by her many virtues had endeared herself to every member of this assembly. We miss her pleasant face and kindly words.

That we most feelingly condole to the bereaved husband, mother and brothers of our beloved sister the heartfelt sympathy of this assembly. We wish them to feel that their grief is ours.

MRS. A. P. STEVENS,
MISS ALIDA COMBES,
MISS KATHERINE CALKINS,
Committee.

It was resolved that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the assembly, that a copy be given to the relatives of the deceased, and also copies to the press for publication.

The Narcotic Committee of Lucas county met with Mrs. E. A. Edwards yesterday afternoon, with Mrs. Clark as chairman. The secretary's report was read and approved, after which a motion was adopted that a protest be made against the selling of cob pipes and toy cigarettes at church entertainments. The reports of the different unions were then given as follows: First union, Mrs. Southland; Central union, Mrs. Eck; Woodbridge, Mrs. Hone; Willard, Mrs. Edwards and Mr. Nicholas; Ross, Mr. Tate; Hays, Mrs. Ottman; Lincoln, Mr. Tate; North Toledo, Mrs. Keith; Maumee, Mrs. Kumpe.

Plans, whereby the narcotic laws can be enforced, were discussed and decided upon. A resolution was passed that a protest against such publications as was noticed in the Commercial the morning after Thanksgiving, as the description of the "smoker," for instance, be made and sent to the Bee for publication. The meeting then adjourned, after which Mrs. Edwards invited the ladies to the dining room, where an elegant supper was served. The afternoon was both pleasing and profitable. The next meeting will be held in March with Mrs. Keith, 2441 Summit avenue, North Toledo. The Narcotic Committee, the Loyal Legions, and in fact the entire W. C. T. U., is engaged in earnest work, and anticipate the help of officials.

SILVER JUBILEE

Of St. Peter's Church Celebrated in a Suitable Manner by the Congregation.

The silver jubilee, or the twenty-fifth anniversary of St. Peter's Catholic church, was celebrated by the congregation at Eversman's hall last evening. The hall was packed almost to suffocation, and many were turned away, unable to find standing room.

The committee on arrangements worked hard for several weeks preparing for the event, and their labors were not fruitless, as the entertainment was a success from beginning to end. The following priests occupied seats on the stage: Rev. Fathers Quigley, Eifert, Zoeller, Hannin, Barns, Barry, Camp, Reether, Welczorek and Kress.

Before the program of the evening was introduced, Father Dannenhoffer, pastor of the church, was escorted to the stage by the junior class of his school.

An orchester furnished most excellent music and the evening was devoted to brief, but highly interesting addresses.

Rev. Father Hannin delivered the speech of the evening. His subject was the silver jubilee of St. Peter's church, and he disposed of it in an instructive manner.

Short addresses were also made by Rev. Father Camp and J. E. Pillion. Father Dannenhoffer was the recipient of many handsome souvenirs of the occasion.

THE CALENDAR CARNIVAL

Opens at Memorial Hall To-morrow Evening.

The annual entertainment of the Toledo Ys will take place to-morrow and Saturday evenings, with a matinee on Saturday afternoon. The entertainment is to be held in Memorial hall, and it is called a "Calendar Carnival." Great preparations have been made for this carnival of pleasure, and it promises to be the finest entertainment of the kind ever given here.

The hall will be magnificently decorated, and besides other attractions a clever program will be presented on the stage. Twelve large booths tastily arranged about the hall will represent the calendar months, and each will contain something appropriate to the month represented. These booths are in charge of enthusiastic committees of young ladies, and some novel and unique designs have been arranged.

The opening of the evening's program will be a grand march participated in by everybody taking part in the entertainment. This march will be a magnificent affair, as there will be in line over 250 young people, all in fancy or fantastic costumes, and the march is to be led by Old Father Time.

Besides this there will be a cadet drill by a company of young ladies, a fan drill, and many other attractions.

FIREWORKS FORAKER.

Now that Senator Brice is in his seat he should keep a sharp eye on the Foraker pouchers.—Washington Post.

We don't hear much from Mr. Foraker nowadays. There is general for the suspicion that he has been working his toe.—Boston Herald.

Since the frosts has been removed from the Foraker sentiment there seems to be longer any doubt of Senator Sherman's re-election.—Washington Post.

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Pay Mr. S. C. Schenck an Unexpected Visit.

Last evening a burglar broke into the residence of Mr. S. C. Schenck, 2235 Jefferson street, but was scared away before securing much goods or chattels. Mr. and Mrs. Schenck were at the Fisk reception and had just reached the church when notified by phone that a burglar had been in the house.

A servant had drawn $20 to buy a sack, and after Mr. and Mrs. Schenck left the house she went to her room only to find it locked from the inside. Hearing a noise inside she suspected a burglar, and Mr. Schenck's children at once phoned the police station. The fellow was not to be found when the patrol wagon arrived on the scene, and neither were the hired girl's purse, containing $20, some underwear and a piece of red flannel. It would interest the burglar to know that there was $25 in another purse in that room. No clue.

COUNCIL COMMITTEES.

Important Matter Before the Committee on Ways and Means.

The council committee on ways and means will meet this evening and consider how to best pay a large amount of old claims outstanding against the city. The judiciary committee at its last meeting instructed the auditor to issue bonds or certificates of indebtedness to meet the debts, according to his best judgment. Auditor Walker does not think it advisable to issue certificates of indebtedness as the city already has too much of that kind of paper against it. Mr. Walker will suggest to the committee that the legislature be requested to permit the city to issue 5 per cent bonds.

Other council committees called for to-night are streets, sidewalks, harbor and commerce, health, and rules and by-laws.

SMASHED HIS HEAD.

A Negro Gets the Worst of a Fight With an Italian.

A colored man named Albert Jackson and an Italian named Martino became engaged in an altercation in the Lake Shore freight house, where they both work, yesterday, and as a result Jackson was pounded over the head with an iron bar by the Italian who at once fled. The colored man was knocked senseless, and lay where he fell for some time before the patrol wagon was sent for, and he was taken to his home at 311 Moore street. He is badly hurt, but is not thought that his injuries will prove fatal. The Italian Martins has not yet been found, though the police are making a vigorous hunt for him.

LOZIER & YOST DISSOLUTION.

Mr. Yost, Who Will Remain Here, Still Holds an Interest in the Patents.

The Bee on Tuesday gave the particulars of the Lozier & Yost dissolution, whereby Mr. Yost retires from the business. There was a typographical mistake in the amount received by Mr. Yost, as it should have been $47,000 instead of $17,000.

Mr. Lozier bought out Mr. Yost's interest in the factory and plant and continues to manufacture with the new tools for the 1892 Model wheel. Mr. Yost retains all of the '91 Model wheels and tools. It is not as yet decided where Mr. Yost will locate, but for the present he will take a rest and a California trip with his family. He does not intend to leave Toledo, however.

THE U. S. COURT.

Violators of Internal Laws Fined—The Syndicate Oil Case.

The Syndicate Oil case still occupies the attention of Judge Ricks and a jury. The Bee has given the particulars heretofore, and the evidence so far is not of much importance. The suit is brought by the Petroleum Fuel company, of Detroit, against the Syndicate Oil company, of Findlay, for violation of contract.

In the United States district court yesterday the following were fined $10 and costs each for violation of internal revenue laws: A. McClure, Van Wert county; Joseph Rozek, Toledo; W. H. Haven, Hancock county; A. J. Hastings, Wood county; Henry Wiesler, Erie county; J. C. Reinicke, Paulding county; Isaac Wisterman, Mercer county; Napoleon Cunningham, Defiance county.

DRAGGED BY A CAR.

Police Sergeant John O'Sullivan Injured Last Evening.

Sergeant John O'Sullivan was seriously injured last evening while attempting to board an electric car on Summit street. The car was moving at the time and O'Sullivan missed his footing and was dragged some distance, tearing the flesh on his arm and bruising him about the body. He was taken to his home in East Toledo and is resting easier to-day, but will probably be laid up for some time.

DECREE FOR THE PLAINTIFF.

Dominick Conlisk Will Have to Pay His Wife $1,000 in Cash.

Judge Pugsley this morning entered a decree for the plaintiff in the case of Catharine Conlisk against Dominick Conlisk. It was an action brought to recover alimony. The court fixed the amount at $1,000, to be paid $100 every four months.

DISTANCE LENDS ENCHANTMENT.

Maud had a fine figure, good face and pretty name. One should see her at a distance. When she began to talk, you realized that she never used SOZODONT. Her breath was unlike the breezes of Araby the blest.

HE MUST DIE.

Columbus, Dec. 10.—The supreme court has refused to interfere in the case of Fitzgerald, sentenced to hang December 18, for the murder of Officer Field, of Youngstown.

GARZA IS IN TEXAS.

The Mexican Outlaw Has Been Traced Across the Border.

Corpus Christi, Tex., Dec. 10.—It now appears that after his attack upon Para, Mexico, last month, Garza, the revolutionary leader, crossed into Texas.

He was tracked to Corpus Christi, in company with two others, all three partially disguised. The three were seen entering a coach on the train bound for San Antonio Tuesday. Col. Aguirre, a Mexican officer who has been tracking Garza, thinks the revolutionist will endeavor to cross back into Mexico at Eagle Pass, Texas.

"KID" HUNT DEAD.

New York, Dec. 10.—Thomas Hunt, who was found in front of 41 Baxter street yesterday afternoon in an unconscious state, and who died early this morning in Chambers street hospital, is said to be a man who is well known to the police as "Kid" Hunt.

COMING TO AMERICA.

Montreal, Dec. 10.—It is stated that the archbishop of Canterbury will visit America next year, and will make a tour through the United States and Canada.

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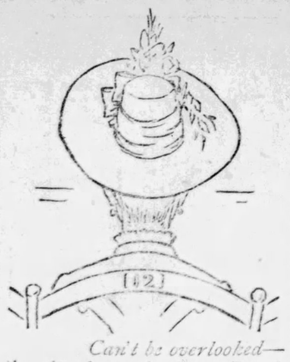

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Tanks that are turbulent, boiling, impetuous;
Sweet-looking children whom none can resist;
The wailing from Wall street, heartfelt and plaintive;
The sowing of maxims; a large-hearted minister;
The Star Spangled Banner; society's chatter;
Dirtiness dressed in a garb that would flatter;
Whispers of mortgages; sectional fights;
Sessions music and calcium lights—
Take of these elements all that is fusible,
Melt 'em all down in a pippin or crucible;
Set 'em to simmer and keep on the scum,
And a Play to Succeed is the residuum.
—Philadelphia Music and Drama.

BEESWAX.

A silver coin is usually in currency for 27 years.

Glass has been made in the United States since 1726.

In southern Europe 38,000 oranges have been picked from one tree.

Missouri is some persimmons. Her persimmon crop has not failed in 40 years.

The queen's grandchildren outnumber her majesty's grandsons by almost three to one.

Have you a cat for sale? If so apply to the Prince of Wales. He recently paid $250 for a tabby cat.

An insane barber in Indianapolis lathered a customer with coal oil and tried to shave him with scissors.

A blacksmith's tools of the present day are almost identical with those used in the same trade over 300 years ago.

The population of London is now 4,421,661. That of Paris, which comes next in the list of large cities, is 2,344,350.

The oldest liquor in any New York club cellar is supposed to be some Savillac brandy of the vintage of 1803 at the Union club.

A solar disturbance lasting 15 minutes, in which vapors ascend to a distance of 80,000 miles, was recently observed by astronomers.

The latest advices about the moon state that it is a dead, desolate waste of played-out volcanoes and cooled off lava beds, without atmosphere.

Mr. Albert Edelmann, a native of Warsaw, claims to have discovered a process whereby coal can be supplied at a price not exceeding $1 per ton.

The largest brandy still in the world is located about two miles from Stockton, on El Pinal, the pioneer vineyard and winery of San Joaquin county, California.

Telephones are put in the houses of Stockholm, Sweden, at a rent of $2.75 a year each. For each call, however, there is a charge of two and a half cents extra.

Old officers in the army are moving for the restoration of the soft hat the slouch hat in use in war times. The new German helmet is ill-ventilated and uncomfortable.

The total value of the watches, clocks and their component parts exported during the year 1890 was $20,813,500, an increase of $1,063,880 on that of the preceding year.

The first German court of justice has held a session in Heligoland. The calendar was a blank. The clerk registered the fact that the court met and adjourned and all was over.

Lake Ontario is now lower than ever before since it was known to white men. It is estimated that it would require 2,754,000,000 tons of water to bring it up to its normal level.

The name Bridget is from the Celtic, meaning strength; the name is found in the French, Spanish and Italian as well as the English language, though varying from the common Irish form.

The Carthagenians were the first to introduce stamped leather currency. Leather coins with a silver nail driven through the center were issued in France by King John the good in 1360.

The tallest men of Western Europe are found in Catolina, in Spain; Normandy, in France, and Yorkshire, in England. The tallest Americans are probably the mountaineers of Eastern Tennessee.

Man seems to have been on this continent a long time, and has left his mark even in the trees of the forest. In a Michigan tree, 6 feet above the ground, a human bone has been found imbedded in the wood.

About 500 unemployed workmen recently gathered under the windows of the Duke of Genoa, at Venice, in the dead of the night, shouting: "We are starving and we want work." They were dispersed by the police.

Miss Braddon, the novelist, has one great hobby—the collection of old china. She has a series of magnificent cabinets of this at her house in Richmond, near London, and one room is known as the plate room, because it is hung round with china plates.

Salt was the ordinary money of the Abyssinians and shad scales are used as money in many of the North Sea islands. In Corfu sheets of paper pass for money; one sheet buys one quart of rice, or 20 sheets a piece of hemp cloth.

Dr. Gatling says his famous gun should be regarded as a philanthropic invention, for it has saved no end of lives by scaring riotous people into submission. So he calls the deadly gun "the peacemaker." The doctor is getting old, but he is still a handsome man and in robust health.

When you take into consideration the fact that the famine in Russia involves 40,000,000 human beings—nearly two-thirds of the population of the United States—you get a comprehensive idea of the extent and suffering attendant upon the crops shortage.

If you want a lovely odor in your rooms break off branches of the Norway spruce, and arrange them in a large jug well filled with water. In a few days tender, pale green branches feather out, soft and cool to the touch, and giving the delightful, health-giving odor.

A young man being asked by a judge whether he had a father and a mother said he wasn't quite sure whether he had or not. First, his father died, then his mother married again, and then his mother died and his father married again, and now he didn't exactly know whether they were his father and mother or not.

The world is not all inhabited by a long ways, though many have more acres than their rightful share. It is said that between Madagascar and the coast of India there are 16,000 islands, only 600 of which are inhabited. A man can support a family in luxury without working more than 25 days in a year, nature does so much.

A story comes from San Francisco that an American bark on the Pacific sailed for five hours through a sea of boiling water. It is a pity to waste so good a lie as this on the Pacific ocean when by locating it in Chesapeake bay the crew might have been pictured dipping up bowls of oyster stew out of the seething sea.

Of flowers used as a food the clove is a familiar example, but the most remarkable of all food flowers is that produced by the mahua tree of India, whose fleshy blossoms form a staple article of food among the poor. The people of the hill tribes could hardly exist without a regular supply of mahua flowers, which are pulpy and sweet, but somewhat nauseous to the unaccustomed palate. The surplus crop of these blossoms is, to some extent, dried, but the main part of the uneaten supply is put into a rude still, which gives out a copious supply of an exceedingly fiery and irritating arrack used as a beverage.

During the nesting season the ostrich is anything but an agreeable creature and resents the intrusion of any visitors on his domain in a very pugnacious way. His mode of attack is by a series of kicks. Instances are known of men being killed outright by a single kick. If a man is attacked it is useless for him to seek safety in flight, as the bird would easily overtake him. The only plan is to lie flat on the ground and submit as resignedly as possible to the inevitable pummeling, which, it may be expected, will be repeated at intervals until a means of escape presents itself, or the bird affords an opportunity of being caught by the neck, which, if tightly held and kept down, prevents much further mischief.

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Reciprocity and Immigration Are Discussed.

Tariff and Customs and National Banks—Working of a Great Department of the Government.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 10.—The report of the secretary of the treasury for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1891, was made public to-day. The total receipts of revenues from all services was $458,544,233.03. Of this $219,522,205.23 was from customs, $145,686,249.44 from internal revenue, and $65,931,785.72 from postal service. The next largest item was $7,701,991.82 from profits on coinage, bullion deposits and assays.

Expenditures amounting to $421,304,470.46, leaving a surplus of $37,239,762.57. The largest item of expenditure was $124,415,951.40 for pensions. Interest on public debt was $37,547,135.37; $48,720,095.01 was spent on military establishments, including rivers and harbors, coast defenses, etc.

To this sum was added $54,207,975.75, deposited in the treasury under the act of July 14, 1890, for the redemption of national bank notes; $9,363,715 deposited during the year on the same account; $3,810 received for 4 per cent. bonds issued for interest accrued on refunding certificates converted during the year, and $34,132,372.16 taken from the cash balance in the treasury, making a total of $134,947,635.48, which was applied to the payment of the public debt.

Compared with 1890, customs receipts fell $10,146,379.34, and postal service receipts increased $5,049,687.80, and internal revenue $3,079,543.63. There was an increase of $57,636,198.14 in ordinary expenditures, the largest item being $11,521,497.99 refund of direct taxes. Expenses of eleventh census was $4,968,333.00. Expenses of postal service decreased $2,024,373.09.

Revenues for fiscal year of 1892 are estimated at $433,000,000, and expenditures $409,000,000.

The revenues for 1893 are estimated at $455,336,350.44. Total estimated appropriations, exclusive of sinking fund, $411,390,053.61.

The amount of public moneys held by the 183 national bank depositors November 1, 1891, was $20,106,876.92, a reduction of $9,830,810.76 since November 1, 1890.

These withdrawals have been made from locations where public funds were held in excess of the requirements of the service, and gradually, in order to avoid disturbing the business of the people. Further withdrawals will be made from time to time when it can be done without detriment to business interests until the holdings of national bank depositaries shall have been reduced to the amount needed for the proper transaction of public business.

Circulation.

This important subject has been unusually prominent since the last annual report. The stringency in the money market during the summer and autumn of 1890 was relieved by the prompt and effective measures of my predecessor, and happily disappeared without producing the grave consequences which were feared by the public; but its existence, and the widespread apprehension which it caused, induced a revival of the erroneous idea that the volume of money in circulation was not only inadequate to the needs of the country, but was very much less per capita than during the so-called flush times which followed the civil war.

The amount of money in circulation has been very largely increased since the close of the fiscal year. The amount July 1, 1891, was $1,497,440,707, and the amount per capita was $23.41. The return of gold to the United States, the operation of the silver act of July 14, 1890, and disbursements by the treasury on account of the 4 1-2 per cent. loan, pensions, etc., have enlarged the volume to $1,577,262,070, and the per capita amount to $24.58.

Coinage.

The coinage of the mints was the largest in the history of this country, there being a total of 119,547,877 pieces, valued at $63,611,159.35, of which $30,232,802 was in silver dollars. Total earnings of the mint service from all sources was $7,650,529.62, and total expenditure and losses $1,661,139.83, a net profit of $5,989,389.79. The total amount of silver purchased under acts of 1878 and 1890 was 366,588,536 fine ounces, costing $368,626,565, an average cost of $1.03 per fine ounce.

"The loss of gold by net export during the fiscal year was $67,946,768, while there was a gain of silver by excess of imports over exports amounting to $2,745,-265.

The loss of gold by export was materially larger during the last fiscal year than in any recent year. The heavy movement commenced in February, 1891, and did not cease until the close of July. The total amount exported from the port of New York during this period was $70,-227,494.31.

It is gratifying to report that a return movement of gold is well under way, which has aggregated since the 1st of July, at the port of New York alone, $27,854,000, and it is believed that owing to the large exports of breadstuffs and other materials from the United States this fall and winter, the movement of gold to this country will continue for some months, and in increasing amounts.

On November 1, 1891, the stock of gold in the United States was $671,139,-531, and silver $539,241,624.

National Banks.

For the year ending October 31, 1891, 193 associations were organized with an aggregate capital of $20,700,000. Forty-one went into voluntary liquidation and 25 became insolvent, leaving a net gain of 127 banks, with a capital of $12,553,-000. Seven of the banks closed reopened for business. The last report of condition exhibits the liabilities and resources of the banks on September 25, 1891, to that date 3,077 associations reported an aggregate capital of $677,426,-870; surplus, $227,576,486; and undivided profits, $103,284,647. The gross deposits including amounts due to banks, are stated at $2,039,180,188.12, and loans and discounts at $1,389,354,239, an increase in both items over any previous date. These banks held $174,807,550 in United States bonds, of which $150,055,-600 were to secure circulating notes, also $183,513,076 in specie; $97,615,785 in legal tender notes, and $15,720,000 in United States certificates of deposit.

Tariff and Customs Administration.

At my request the chief of the bureau of statistics has prepared a special report on our foreign commerce for comparative periods under the old and new tariffs, which furnishes a striking exhibit of the practical effect of the new law.

The existing tariff went into effect as to most of its provisions the 6th of October, 1890. Under its operations during the 12 months ending Sept. 30, 1891, the first 5 days of October being under the old tariff, the value of imports of merchandise was $824,716,587, an increase of $11,-247,116 over the value of imports of the corresponding months of the preceding year. Of this total the value of free goods was $397,352,107, an increase of $118,092,436 over the value of free imports during the corresponding months of the previous year. The proportion of merchandise admitted free was 48.18 per cent of the total importation, as against 34.32 per cent for the preceding year, thus exceeding the proportion of corresponding period.

For six months ending March 31, 1891, during which sugar has been admitted free, the proportion of free importations was 55.37 per cent, as against 33.27 per cent for the corresponding months of the preceding year.

For six months ending March 31, 1891, when sugar was dutiable under the new tariff, the free importations were 40.68 per cent, and for the corresponding period of the preceding year, under the old tariff, they were 35.18 per cent of the total importations.

The articles now admitted free of duty are chiefly necessaries of life, such as sugar, tea, coffee and other articles which are not largely produced in this country, and do not successfully compete with our domestic productions.

The removal of the duty on sugar has reduced its price to the consumer, and this result is not in conflict with the doctrine of production to home industries, because the limited domestic production of sugar under the most favorable protective rates was not sufficient to influence the price in the home market.

The report of the chief of the bureau of statistics is accompanied by tables showing that prices to the consumer of manufactured articles, as a rule, have not been increased, but have been reduced.

The receipts from customs for the year ending September 30, 1891, during the last six months of which sugar was free, were $196,279,654.60, as against $278,-784,929.71 for the preceding year, a decrease of $42,505,275.11.

During the 12 months ending September 30, the value of our exports of merchandise was $923,091,136, as against $860,177,115 for the previous 12 months, an increase of $62,914,021.

Under the operations of the new tariff the customs revenue has been decreased as far as is consistent with the current needs of the government. By the readjustment of duties in the line of protection to American labor and American industries, the free list has been enlarged by the addition of articles which from climatic or other conditions are not produced profitably nor extensively in this country; adequate protective duties have been imposed upon articles that come into competition with our own productions; new industries have been established and others stimulated, thereby giving increased employment to American labor, and better control of our home market to our own people; and the price of nearly every article of common consumption has been reduced to the consumer.

Inasmuch as a considerable portion of our revenues must be derived from duties on imports, it is the part of wisdom and patriotism to so adjust the rates as to have regard first to the interests of our own people and the rightful demands of American labor for remunerative wages.

I do not believe that any considerable number of the people desire to see our manufacturing interests destroyed, or wages reduced to the European basis, which would be the inevitable result of a reduction of duties with a view to revenue only.

A comparison of the prices of goods imported respectively under the old and new tariffs where rates have been increased will demonstrate that the tariff is a tax upon the foreign competitor in our markets in the sale of such articles as are extensively produced here, and that the duties are in fact thus deducted from the foreign market value, and are paid by the foreigner as a tax for the privilege of selling his goods here at prices fixed by our own people competing among themselves in their own market.

Reciprocity.

The reciprocity clause of the new tariff is opening new markets and increasing the demand for our products.

During the year ending June 30, 1890, our exports of domestic products to Brazil amounted to $11,902,496, and in 1891 to $14,049,273, an increase of $2,146,177.

The treaty with Brazil went into effect April 1 last, and it is not to be expected that the results will be very marked as yet. During the six months ending September 30, 1890, our domestic exports of merchandise to Brazil amounted to $6,268,804, and during the same period of 1891, under the operation of the reciprocity treaty, to $7,515,858, an increase of $1,307,054.

This increase in exports to Brazil since the reciprocity treaty went into effect has been mainly in locomotives, steam engines, machinery and cars for tramways and railways, wheat, flour, bacon, deals, planks, etc.

Immigration.

The important subject of immigration also receives much thoughtful consideration. The arrivals for the year show an increase of 94,376, and during the four months ending October 31, 1891, the excess is 40,595, an increase of 27 per cent. over the corresponding months the year before. Secretary Foster says:

If ever there was a question which ought to be treated independently of partisan politics, this would seem to be such a question; and the practical unanimity in this matter of our citizens of all parties and of whatever nationality furnishes the opportunity for the adoption of measures dictated solely by patriotic considerations.

An analysis of the statement of arrivals during the last fiscal year shows that an increasing proportion of immigrants is coming to us from those classes and those countries of Europe whose people are the least adapted to, and least prepared for citizenship in a free republic, and are least inclined to assimilate with the general body of American citizens.

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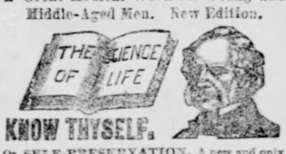

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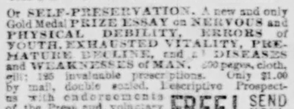

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A Rose of a Hundred Leaves, a love story by Amelia E. Barr, is a beautiful book and a beautiful story, just in time for the holiday season, published by Dodd, Mead & Co., of New York. As the Bee reviewer has already said, the wonder is that Mrs. Barr can write so much and so uniformly well. Printed on satin-face paper, with wide margins and illustrations in the highest style of art. The story needs no telling in brief to insure it wide attention. $1.50. Brown, Eager & Hull.

House and Hearth is a home book, mother book, daughter book, lover book, by Harriet Prescott Spofford. First we are introduced to the "Maid herself;" then we are made acquainted with "the Grandmothers;" we follow her into society, read of her betrothal, bridal, marriage, and relations. There are chapters about the unhappy wife, the plain wife, the old wife, the child-angel and the sick room. How Mrs. Spofford would treat these topices is well understood by her readers. She never puts pen to paper without she has something to say. This book would be good to read directly after the "Quintessence of Ibsenism" if both should fall to your lot as happened to the reviewer. It would make a dainty gift book. $1. Brown, Eager & Hull. Dodd, Mead & Co., publishers.

The Cause of an Ice Age, by Sir Robert Ball, is the initial number of a modern science series to be published by the D. Appleton Co. It will add to their value, prospectively, to be told the series will be edited by Sir John Lubbock. The books are intended not for the youth or the student alone, but for the educated general reader. The authors will be distinguished specialists, and scientific treatment of each theme may be depended upon. The present volume is entertaining to a degree, while it instructs, and argues to satisfactory conclusions. A most valuable addition to the scientific library. Sold in Toledo by Brown, Eager & Hull.

The Princess Isle is a German legend of the wild Hartz mountains, a little brook, personified, its theme; translated by Florence M. Cronise, and beautifully illustrated by J. E. Bundy. It has bits of charming description, touches of nature and a high moral purpose, with sermonizing—these things, together with the fine illustrations, make the book a special delight. It is in "album" form and sent out in pasteboard case, by the publishers (Albert Scott & Co., Chicago).

The Story of Colette by the author of "Straight On," is from the French of La Neuvaine De Colette, told with delightful naivete, partly in diary form, by the heroine herself, and partly in letters from friend to friend. The love chapters are idyllic in treatment and there's a "sweet and pretty" charm about it from first to last. Besides, the full-page illustrations and artistic vignettes alone are worth the price of the book. The publisher's work is faultless. D. Appleton & Co.; sold by Brown, Eager & Hull.

The Blue Pavilions, by "Q." (Quiller-Couch) is a sea story of incident and adventure in which are no dull pages. Excellent print, wide margins, handsome covers. Cassell & Co., N. Y. Sold in Toledo by Brown, Eager & Hull, $1.25.

The Biography of a Locomotive, by Harry Frith, is a story of engine life, founded on facts in the writer's experience. Next to the boat "with white wings spread," is the locomotive engine a thing of life; the engineer will not abide the single exception. It is a breezy, fascinating story it has to tell and through the medium of the popular author's pen, it is well told. Cassell & Co., N. Y., publishers. Brown, Eager & Hull; $1.50.

One Summer at Hawaii, by Helen Mather, is another woman's book—a record of travel, unpretentious, chatty, pleasing and readable, of which we have had so many of late. Of "these books" of travel, Brander Matthews is moved to say, in the last issue of Harper's magazine—

"Nowadays, when the Atlantic is crossed in less than a week, when type is cheaply set by machinery, the publication of a book of travels is within the reach of any one who can read and write and buy a Cook's ticket and find a confiding publisher. However expert a young lady may be * * * she finds no difficulty going forth from Yuba Dam to Rotterdam. * * * Of the making of books of travel such as this there is no end and they are a weariness to the flesh."

Mr. Matthews doesn't specify what "these" stands for in his mind. It can scarcely be "A Girl in the Karpathians, An American Girl in London, Miss Bisland's letters, or Two Girls on a Barge, all of which have been read and reviewed into popularity. The critic who reads them all, and the blase traveler may find them "a weariness to the flesh" but he is the exception; the untraveled reader who likes to know just what one gets for dinner at the Metropole or the Grande, or in a restaurant Francaise, and just how one gets about in Holland or Switzerland or Greece or Italy, is the rule. One Summer in Hawaii is a narrative of daily impressions in the semi-tropical islands told in the American girl's vivacious manner, and sufficiently in detail to make the pictures of life real and enjoyable. Handsomely printed and bound. Published by Cassell & Co. Sold in Toledo by Brown, Eager & Hull.

The Lost Colony by James E. Raymond (brother of Henry J. Raymond) is issued in neat covers, by T. B. Peterson & Bros., Philadelphia, with copyright renewed. The story of the Baxter family on the tropical islands is full of exciting interest.

Bound volumes of the Century and St. Nicholas are among the yearly welcome visitors to the book table. These for 1891 are in the handsome bindings that we have all become accustomed to and are treasures of literature and art in any household.

In Paper Covers.

The Quintessence of Ibsenism, by Bernard G. Shaw (published by Benj. R. Tucker, Boston,) is an exceedingly clever analysis of Ibsen's teachings, along with deductions and conclusions of the author's own and criticisms of Mr. Ibsen's critics, all of which will be found provocative of discussion, and possibly not unmingled with denunciation by readers who do not understand how a writer dare "give in the face" of established theories and practices with new suggestions and suppositions. And that he holds up results of other theories to prove his own is the more exasperating. Perhaps this close student finds more method in Ibsen's works than the author himself knew there was. At any rate it is a book to which students of Ibsen, social questions, and admirers of Ibsen, and adverse critics as well, may give attention.

Holiday Stories, by Stephen Fiske, comes from the same house.

A Widow Indeed, by Rhoda Broughton and Elizabeth Bisland, is No. 84 of Appleton's Town and Country Library. The names of the writers and the publishers are full guaranty of a story worth reading.

The Three-Cornered Hat is one of the late issues in Cassell's Sunshine series. It is translated from the Spanish of Pedro Antonio De Alarcon, by Mary Springer. A picture of the author and a biographical sketch introduce the book; following this is the author's preface, then "an opinion concerning the book." The "little sketch" as the author prefers to call it, is said to be founded upon fact. It is bright and entertaining.

The "Humboldt Library of Science," semi-monthly (subscription price $3 a year) sends out four handsomely printed pamphlets on "Mental Suggestion," by Dr. J. Ochorowiz. An analytical study of hypnotism, with experiments and observations. "Organic Sympathism," "Will Action," "Transmission of Ideas" and "Direct Will Transmission" are some of the chapter heads which indicate the contents.

The Christmas Magazines.

The early harbingers of the holiday season are the magazines, beautiful to the eye and so full of tempting things one scarcely knows what to take first. "Harper's" is gold-lettered on the decorated cover and is bulky with additional pages, both of reading matter and advertising. And so artistic is advertising become, these days, its pages may well be considered part of the book proper. The frontispiece is a photo-engraving copy of Dante Rossetti's "Ecce Ancilla Domini, in the London Gallery," and ten other illustrations from paintings, by Fra Angelico, Andrea del Sarto, Botocelli, Donatello, and other artists of renown, showing their conceptions of the "Annunciation." The text accompanying the illustrations is by Henry Van Dyke. Harriet Prescott Spofford furnishes the poem, "A Christmas Pearl." "A Maid's Choice," a musical pastoral, with eleven engravings, music and words by W. W. Gilchrist, drawings by Howard Pyle, is a novel conceit. Julian Ralph tells a story of the Blackfoot Indians, which is enriched by spirited drawings by Frederic Remington, than whom the country has no better artist in his special line. T. B. Aldrich, Andrew Lang, F. D. Millet, Mark Twain and Walter Besant, are among the other distinguished authors who contribute to the Christmas number. Curtis' "Easy Chair," Howell's "Editor's Study" and Charles Dudley Warner's "Drawer," with Laurence Hutton's book notes complete the entertaining number. The January number will contain a paper by Julian Ralph on "Our Exposition in Chicago," "Personal Reminiscences of Nathaniel Hawthorne" by Horatio Bridge, U. S. N., his old college classmate, and a description of life in the Austro-Hungarian capitals, by Wilhelm Singer.

Scribner's frontispiece is the "First Christmas Tree," drawn by Howard Pyle, engraved by W. M. Aikman. "Afloat on the Nile" is by E. H. and E. W. Dashfield. "The Oak of Geismar," by Henry Van Dyke, furnishes the theme for the frontispiece. One of the sweetest poems of all, to the memory of Lowell, by Thomas Bailey Aldrich, in this holiday issue. Robert Louis Stevenson and Lloyd Osborne continue "The Wrecker," begun in the August number. A pretty set of imagery opens chapter XII:

"I love to recall the glad monotony of a Pacific voyage when the trades are not stinted and the ship, day after day, goes free. The mountain scenery of trade-wind clouds, watched from in my ease sainted under every vicissitude of light—blotting stars, withering in the moon's glory, barring the scarlet eve, lying across the dawn, collapsed into the unfeatured morning bank, or at noon raising their snowy summits between the blue roof of heaven and the blue floor of the sea. * * * I love to recall and would that I could reproduce that life, the unforgetable, the unrememberable. * * * On a part of our ship's map there lies a recreate, undecipherable blaze, and that is all."

"The Land of Poso Tiempo" (New Mexico) is beautifully illustrated with the well-written narrative, by Charles F. Lummis. "A Painter of Beautiful Dreams," by Harold Frederic, illustrated by paintings by Albert Moore, is one of the attractive papers. Louise Imogen Grimey's "Peter Rugg," and Bessie Chandler's "Peleus to Thetis," and Bessie poems, rendered doubly so by handsome illustration.

The New England Magizine with its cream-tinted and gold color cross-lettered with blue is one of the handsomest on the list. A fine engraving of Governor Endicott from the portrait in the Essex Institute, Salem, furnishes the frontispiece; "Canadian Journalists and Journalism," by Walter Blackburn Harte, is finely illustrated, and well written. Herbert D. Ward contributes "Only an Incident" (a story), and Winfield S. Nevins has a chapter on "Salem Witchcraft." Readers of the younger generation are scarcely able to realize that the things of childhood can be historic. Henry Cleveland Wood has a neat two-verse poem, "Phyllis." "Pen Pictures of the Bosphorus," by Alfred D. F. Hamlin, gives opportunity for fine illustrations, which is well improved. "The New South" (the Cit[illegible] by T. M. Clarke, and "Brunswick and Bowdoin College," are two other illustrated papers of interest and value.

"American Supremacy in Applied Mechanics," by Coleman Sellers, is the opening paper of the December number of the Engineering Magazine. Edward Atkinson writes of the advisability of "A Permanent Census Department." "The Canadian Pacific Railway," by T. Kennard Thomson, is beautifully illustrated; as is also, "Picturesque Suburban Railroad Stations." The paper on the "Manchester Ship Canal," by Geo. R. Dunnel, will be of interest to the general reader as well as to the engineer. "Landscape Beauty at Newport" gives some attractive engravings. The magazine is beautiful in paper, print and general appearance.

The perfectness of its illustrated pages and the variety of topics treated are two notable features of the December Outing. The leading articles takes us into the jungles of Ceylon and describes the capture of the elephant in his native wilds. "Where were the Boys," by John Habberton, and "The Red Gate," by Jeanie Porter Rudd, (a Florentine story,) are the principle articles of fiction. "Horseback Sketches," "Cowboy Life" and "Canoeing on the Flathead" help to preserve the breezy out-door character of this bright and admirable magazine. Like all the other holiday-tide publications, its illustrations are exceptionally fine. "A Winter Wooing," by Charles Gordon Rogers, is a unique bit of verse. The Outing Co., N. Y. 25 cents a number; $3 a year.

The Century is decidedly a Christmas number. It has a tasteful illuminated cover in brown, gold and white, a frontispiece by a young American artist, (the Holy Family by Frank Vincent Dumond,) and numerous engravings of modern pictures relating to Christmas; the "Arrival of the Shepherds," by H. Lerolle (with poem by Edith Thomas); the "Appearance of the Angel to the Shepherds," by P. Lagarde; "The Annunciation," by J. Bashea Lepage; "Holy Night," by Von Uhde and a Madonna by Dagnan-Bouveret with poem by Mary Mapes Dodge. W. J. Stillman contributes a paper on "Raphael" (Italian old masters) with three illustrations of Raphael's work. Christmas stories by Frank R. Stockton, Thomas Bailey Aldrich, Mary Hallock Foote and a sketch by Miss Vida D. Scudder. Amelia Gere Mason contributes a paper, "Mozart, after a hundred years," finely illustrated. The instalment of the Kipling-Balestier story takes the reader from America to India. "The Bowery," by Julian Ralph, "The Ocean from Real Life," by Capt. John A. Beebe, of Nantucket, "The Golden Age of Pastel," by Elizabeth C. Champney, are among the other notably good things. The departments are full of variety and the whole number does credit to authors, artists, engravers and publishers. Subscribers for a year beginning with January, '92, get this superb number free.

In William Sharp's paper in the December Atlantic, is a letter to Joseph Severn from John Ruskin, giving his first impressions of Venice. "The Chaperon," by Henry James, is put down by critics as promising to be one of that original writer's best stories. Miss Lucrdlo Hearn's Japanese sketch pictures "the most ancient shrine in Japan." Miss Repplier collects a readable number of quotations and ballads "In Praise of War," Prof. Allen writes of the "Transition of New England Theology." Prof. Chas. Moore, of Cambridge, has a paper on "The Modern Art of Painting in France." An essay on "Richard Third," by James Russell Lowell, never before printed, is given in this number. In the January number a serial entitled "Don Orsino," by Marion Crawford, and an article by Henry James on Lowell's London Life will be commenced.

The December of the North American Review contains a symposium on The Quorum in European Legislatures, apropos of the probable renewal of the speakership controversy on the assembling of congress, December 7, by M. Louis Ruchonnet, president of the Swiss confederation; Herr Von Levetzow, president of the German reichstag; M. Henri Brisson, ex-president of the chamber of deputies; M. Jules Meline, ex-minister of agriculture; M. Sofus Hogsbro, president of the Danish Folkething; Sig. Chiavassa of the Italian senate and others. The same number has papers on The Three Philanthropists, by Colonel R. G. Ingersoll; The Benefits of War, by Admiral Luce; A Great Statistical Investigation, by Carroll D. Wright, and Railway Rates, by General Horace Porter. Further contributions are from Signor Crispi, ex-prime minister of Italy; the dean of St. Paul's cathedral, London; T. V. Powderly and Prof. James Bryce, author of The American Commonwealth.

The Ladies' Home Journal has an attractive prospectus for 1892. Mrs. Gladstone will write a series of practical articles for mothers on "Hints from a Mother's Life;" Mr. Howells' story for girls; Mamie Dickens, the eldest daughter of Charles Dickens, is to write eight reminiscent papers on "My Father as I Recall Him;" Mrs. Burton Harrison will portray "Social Life in New York," which Mrs. Admiral Dahlgren will also do for Washington and Mrs. Reginald DeKoven for Chicago; Mrs. Henry Ward Beecher will continue to tell of "Mr. Beecher as I Knew Him;" Mrs. McKee, President Harrison's daughter, is to write on the training of children; Palmer Cox's "Brownies" will appear all the year; Robert J. Burdette is to have a regular humorous department; Sarah Orne Jewett's next novel will be printed, while Chauncey M. Depew, Mr. Wanamaker, Mrs. ex-Secretary Whitney, and a score of other "diners-out," will tell whether or not the use of wine is decreasing at fashionable dinners.

Littell's Living Age, founded in 1844, has nearly reached its jubilee. Its success is as remarkable as its age. A weekly magazine, it gives over three and a quarter thousand large and well-filled pages of reading matter—forming four large volumes—every year. Its frequent issue and ample space enable it to present with freshness and completeness the ablest essays, reviews and criticisms, the choicest stories, the most interesting sketches of travel and discovery, the best poetry, and the most valuable biographical, scientific, and political information from the entire body of foreign periodical literature, and from the pens of the most eminent writers. The Age is $8 a year or $10.50 with any of the four-dollar monthlies. Littell & Co., Boston, publishers.

A full page portrait of Queen Isabella furnishes the frontispiece of the Magazine of American History. The paper, "Some of Queen Isabella's Descendants," is by Martha J. Lamb, the editor. Thanksgiving and Christmas in the Old Colonial Meeting House, is portrayed by Roy Singleton, and Pen Portraits of Washington are given by Hon. Horatio King. The Guns in the Grass, an incident of the Mexican war, is written in poetry by Thomas Frost. Hon. S. H. M. Byers writes of a Forgotten Republic. Minor Topics, Notes, Queries, Book notes, etc., conclude a choice number. Terms, $5 a year. 743 Broadway, N. Y.

The Cosmopolitan has an exquisite first-page engraving of the Virgin and Child from the painting by Dagnan Bouveret. A delightful journey on the Nile from Philae to Wady Half, (illustrated) is written by Gebel Effendi. The Mad Piper, an idyll by John Vance Cheney, is a poetic drama of twelve pages, aptly illustrated by Lee Woodward Zeigler. T. V. Powderly makes a sketchy review of the progress of laboring people, and their present condition under the text, "Peace on Earth, Good Will Toward Men." There are two Sherman sketches, with illustrations: My Father's Letters, by Maria Ewing Sherman, and, With Sherman in His Army Home, by Theo. R. Davis. Mrs. M. E. W. Sherwood writes of American Entertaining, John H. Gilmour, A Hindoo Romance; Wm. Eggleston of Ten Days on the Mississippi, and Festivals of Alfriend of Social Life in Richmond During the War. These papers are all finely illustrated, as is also Osborne Ward's Massacres of the Roman Amphitheatre. Current Events, Social Problems and Book Notes by Murat Halstead, Edward Everett Hale and Brander Matthews, Rapid Transit in Great Cities, by Lewis M. Haupt, is the "red letter" contribution.

The Review of Reviews is aptly named "The busy man's magazine." The progress of the world department puts into small space the leading events of the month past, and the pages of selections from leading newspapers and magazines are all aptly made. The review of periodicals opens with "St. Nicholas and its Editor," Mary Mapes Dodge, giving a fine portrait of the lady and sketch of her work. The book notes are voluminous, and the whole number is amply illustrated, women being given equal share of attention. The Review is only $2 a year. Published at Astor Place, N. Y., and on Strand, London, simultaneously.

The Bee has already written editorially upon Lieutenant Allen R. Foote's paper on the "Degredation of Pensions" in the December Forum. Besides this leading and praiseworthy article are Governor Russell's view of the significance of the Massachusetts election, a chapter on the Jewish persecution by a member of the French Institute and long-time resident in Russia, M. Leroy-Beaulieu; French feeling towards Germany, by Carmille Pelletan, member of the French Chamber of Deputies; a paper by Jacob H. Schiff, a New York banker of experience on the silver law of 1890, and further, on finance, a Plan for a Permanent Bank System and Bank Note Circulation (Mr. Harter's Plan), by H. W. Cannon, formerly Comptroller of the Currency. Is Modern Education a Failure, by Frederic Harrison; a chapter on Unregulated Competition; the Work of Women's Clubs, by Alice H. Rhine; Child-Life in School, by Dr. J. M. Rice and Edwin Arnold's "Day with Lord Tennyson," are other valuable and entertaining papers. The Forum is growing in popularity, as is evidenced by frequent editorial review in the leading newspapers of the treatment of topics of daily interest by its writers.

The Quarterly Register of Current History, published in Detroit, at $1 a year, is a marvel for the information it contains put into most readable form. The student who cannot afford many magazines, newspapers and histories can amply provide himself by subscribing for the Register and keeping it on file for references. The present number has a fine portrait of Thomas Edison for frontispiece and contains, as it purports, a quarterly review of events in all the countries of the world.

Magazines.

"Table Talk" has directions for Christmas dinner, for house decoration, for "real cheer," foreshadowings of Santa Claus, Christmas Eve stories, Christmas Bells poem and pages of good advice and recipes for housekeepers, along with fashion notes and various helpful articles on fashion and household management. It is a neat, bright, practical home aid twelve times a year for one dollar. Philadelphia, 1617 Chestnut street.

St. Nicholas, with its unflagging interest for young and old, is at hand. St. Nicholas is unique in the literary world, the one young-old magazine that has had said about it all the good things there are to say. The Christmas number for 1891 is as good as the others; it could not be better.

Notes and Comments.

Henry Greville's "Tania's Peril," (a Russian story), translated by George D. Cox, is published by Peterson Bros. in their 25-cent series.

"Art in Advertising," neat New York publication, an illustrated monthly for $1 a year, "for business men" and women, too, no doubt. In the current number a prize of $100 is offered the contributor of the best "new idea;" an article containing not over 1,500 words; suggestion for a series of articles; clever illustration (original design); an idea for a cartoon or complete drawing; a plan for interesting new readers." Or any other new idea in the line of thought indicated.

Toilettes is a bright and handsome fashion magazine with numerous full-length plates, giving the latest styles in London and Paris as well as in our own country; $1.50 a year.

The Continental Magazine is published at 150 Nassau street, New York, for $1.50 a year. Cape Breton Island, well illustrated, is the leading paper in the current number. Hamlin Garland's Boy Life on the Prairie reaches chapter VI. It has good short stories.

Tales from Town Topics (No. 2) is out for December. A pleasing variety of story, sketch and verse.

The monthly Sanitary Record, published by the state board of health at Columbus, for the current month, presents a deal of valuable information.

The Church at Home and Abroad, published monthly by the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church, has all the church news and a great deal of excellent reading besides. $1 a year, Philadelphia, Pa.

The Youth's Companion comes in handsome covers during the holiday season and has contents appropriate. Dr. Lyman Abbott is writing a series of articles about Books and Reading for this excellent periodical. The serial stories in progress both deal in western life.

MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENTS.

Better Citizenship the First Step in Reform.

We Are Better Governed Than We Acknowledge, But Improvement is Possible and Desirable.

The following interesting paper by Mr. George P. Kirby, read before the New Century club, is well worthy of perusal by every good citizen who desires to see good city government:

During the past five years, perhaps more, the leading periodicals of this country have teemed with essays, articles, open letters, etc., depicting in most discouraging language the utter and complete failure of the government of American municipalities, and this club has, within the past year, heard described in vigorous style the same woeful condition of affairs.

Most disheartening are the accounts given by these writers of the mismanagement of our larger cities; if their views are correct, the proper government of these corporations is a task which the American people have proven themselves nearly, if not quite, unable to perform.

The mistakes made, the crimes and wrongs committed are commented upon and held up to the light in a manner calculated to lead to the belief that evil exists nowhere, that corruption, stealings and crimes of like nature are unknown, except in the management of the affairs of urban communities.

Statistics are liberally quoted, incidents cited, and conclusions (often wrong) drawn therefrom, which in the opinion of those who draw them prove beyond a doubt that honesty and uprightness of character are qualifications unknown and unheard of amongst those who are called upon to administer the affairs of cities. Says one writer: "Our cities are not ruled wisely and economically for the benefit of all their inhabitants, but unwisely and extravagantly for the benefit of the politicians and political organizations."

Failing to comprehend the true causes of whatever deficiencies there are, they hurl their maledictions at those operating the machine, for defects which grow out of the conditions surrounding the construction and operation of the machine itself, and for which the operators are often in nowise responsible.

I propose in this paper to discuss, as well as I may, first, the causes which conduce to bring about these changes, and how far they are actually true. Second, to inquire why they are true and suggest so far as I may be able some remedy for their cure.

In the various divisions existing in the system of American government, there is none which comes so close to the average citizen as that branch which administers his city affairs.

The federal government in peaceful times is remote from the mass of people. Its wastefulness, corruption and jobbery are not seen by him. Errors in the financial policy of the government become plain only when their ill effects are experienced.

The state government affects them more directly, the county or district organization is still more distinctly felt, while to those who happen to live within the limits of a municipal corporation the workings of its government are experienced daily and affect in its every movement the every-day comfort and convenience of its citizens.

The city resident who lives in this rushing age, however, seems to have no time to consider the obstacles which present themselves to a speedy successful working of municipal affairs. Nor does he seem to care. He feels as though it was none of his business; and his mind is either too much occupied with his own business or he is too indolent or ignorant to give much thought to these matters.

He only knows when he drives to his office or takes a car for his work, that the street is blocked, he is delayed in reaching his destination, and forthwith he proceeds to complain; the cause to him is immaterial. He turns his faucet, the water does not run and at once he condemns those whose business it is to supply him. He wants his street paved with certain material; the judgment of those in authority differs from his and the whole system is wrong, and those who administer it doubly so.

Perhaps some official has gone wrong, and because he is hitting at no particular person, and because it is so comfortable to find fault, he condemns all concerned with city governments as corrupt, and the whole institution rotten to the core.

If any of these things be regarded in private enterprise they would be regarded in much different light. In fact the measure of duty required of a public municipal officer is much greater than is exacted any private institution.

The art of administering the affairs of cities as they are now constituted is comparatively new. The village of twenty years ago becomes the populous city of to-day. And even in the much-boasted-of cities of the old world the present desirable conditions are of quite recent origin. Indeed, these conditions, it seems to me, obtain their desirability largely from the distance at which we view them.

Meeting the demands which necessarily grow out of the bringing together of large bodies of persons, has made problems often difficult of solution. All, or nearly all, the questions that have arisen in municipal life are new and novel, with no precedent to guide.

The providing of proper material for street paving at once suitable and at a cost within the means of most cities, and the best method of laying the same, have been very perplexing questions. The construction of a sewerage system that will afford safe and suitable drainage, has often disclosed difficulties impossible of perception at the outset. So with the furnishing proper water supply, disposition of garbage and other refuse, street cleaning and lighting, the control of individuals and companies to whom privileges have been granted in the streets and public places, so as not to do and yet prevent injustice; the care of the criminal classes, the public health, etc. In all these matters obstacles have arisen, often difficult to forsee, and there has necessarily been much groping in the dark with consequent frequent loss and disaster, which practical experience would have avoided and is now beginning to avoid.

Again, the rapid increase in population has brought changed conditions, and that, too, so sudden as to render it impossible to properly prepare for them, and they of course were unforseen.

Thus it is that what proved ample for the purpose intended, when planned and executed, has often been found utterly inadequate to meet the demands created by these new conditions, rendering unavailable much tearing down and renewing with attendant waste and loss.

The development of wealth in cities, while stupendous, has not, especially in the west, kept pace with the growth in population, with its accompanying requirements, and the temptation, always great, has often been yielded to of spending more than could be afforded.

The raising of municipal revenues has long been a cause of much complaint and probably no one of the many problems presented has been so fought with difficulty as this. The laying of special assessments so that those benefitted shall pay in proportion to the benefits received, to provide for the general revenues of a great city and keep pace with its growth proper justice to only those who have undertaken it can know of the embarrassment encountered.

In fact, American municipal corporations have been passing through the pioneer period and have been pressed forward at too rapid a rate to permit of settled methods in the transaction of their business.

And yet, to the busy man who does not study politics, and to the lazy or stupid man, who does not want to, all these difficulties are grievous wrongs for which those in authority are directly responsible. And they give rise to much the larger share of the criticisms heffred to.

How far are these charges actually true? That there are wrongs done and crimes committed, sometimes aggravated ones, in the management of cities, it would be folly to deny. To do so would be to say that not only was the municipal machine perfect but those operating it were not men but angels.

That in ruling cities mistakes are made, crimes are committed, that men charged with a sacred trust are false to that trust, is true. It is true not because of the particular line of action they are engaged in, but because they are men, and men make mistakes, commit crimes and betray trusts. That when their environments are considered men are less honorable and true when connected with municipal governments than in other walks of life, I do not believe.

Those in control of city affairs are sometimes incompetent and dishonest; so they are in every other pursuit in life. If in private employ they are soon removed to make room for others more competent or honest, if engaged in managing their own business, failure follows, but the public in either case knows little of it, and cares less. Not so, however, with the man in public life, his shortcomings are heralded abroad, and the claim is soon made that the whole ship is going wrong, not stopping to consider that while one public servant has proven faulty a dozen others are discharging their duties with fidelity and ability.

The charge that cities are ruled for the benefit of the politicians and political organizations is, with possibly two exceptions, not well founded.

The man in office is but a man. You don't change his nature by putting him there, and the calling him a politician because he happens to take an interest in public affairs makes him none the less honest and efficient. In fact, one of the crying needs of the times is for more politicians, men who will take an active interest themselves in public affairs, and not continually grumble at others who do.

It is but natural that the official with the power of appointment should prefer the party to which he belongs, and in which his acquaintances and friends are largely found. This does not mean inefficiency or dishonesty. While political associates are chosen, it is very seldom that men of known bad character are selected.

Next.—Some reasons for the continuance of such abuses as do exist.

What has already been said indicates in a measure why the charges made are true, but much the stronger reason lies in the failure of the average citizen to do his part to remedy them, and, because he is in a large measure directly responsible for their existence.

The absence of a personal responsibility to one having a direct pecuniary interest at stake, not only offers a strong temptation for the violation of public trust, but it invites those to enter and assist in that violation and profit by it, who would scorn to do the same thing were the parties private individuals.

I venture the assertion, and will be borne out by every one who has had a public experience of any length, that citizens who are considered reputable and upright not only do not hesitate in their transactions with their own city, to take advantages and resort to questionable practices, that they would not think of doing with a private individual, whose good opinion they at all desire, but they use every influence to persuade those in authority to assist in those practices, and do not scruple to compass the downfall of any when they fail in their attempts to use them.

So it is with regulations enacted for the common good, the efforts made to evade them for the sake of some temporary gain, is not confined to any one class of citizens, it is common to all. Herein lies one of the great drawbacks to successful enforcement of the laws. The official too often realizes that the strict performance of his duty means the creation of an active enemy and one who from the very nature of the case is never fair, while it falls just as often to make him even one passive friend to offset the opposition.

How easy it becomes to yield:

The stream will not rise above its source. If greater honesty and uprightness of character is desired from public servants, the citizens should not encourage and demand the reverse in his transactions with them. The fault is not so much any particular system of government, or in the machinery used for the selection of officials.

The paramount cause of existing evils lies with the people themselves, and will only be permanently cured when they shall apply the remedy.

But these citizens fail to realize that they are the sufferers; that what they may do, others will find a way to do also. If the may take what is not their due, and evade or directly violate the laws for personal gain others are doing for the same thing and the loss sustained thereby falls on them with the rest.

The lack of the power of self government has been considered and no doubt is a serious impediment to the successful administration of cities. The dependence upon state legislatures for the power to do each particular thing no doubt occasions much loss of prompt and efficient action.

The frequent change of officials, especially those connected with the carrying out of extensive improvements, is very injudicious. The business of carrying out these improvements in a systematic manner is frequently one of years, often requiring to be developed and planned as they progress and necessitating the services of men educated for the particular purpose.

In the levying of assessments and other taxes injustice is not so apt to occur when they are all laid under a uniform rule. The frequent change of officers prevents this. Again, administration of city affairs is so much a matter of detail that the knowledge acquired and experience had by length of service is always valuable.

The most important reason, however, why these charges are true lies in the almost criminal neglect manifested by those not directly interested, in regard to their city affairs. Says the Hon. Robt. C. Davidson, mayor of the city of Baltimore, in the current number of the North American Review.

"The essential difficulty in the administration of the affairs of the majority of American cities arises from three principal causes.

"First—The apathy and indifference which the majority of the better class of citizens display with regard to taking an active part in municipal government."

And ex-Mayor Hart, of Boston, says: "The cause is hopeless if citizens consider their public duty discharged by the payment of taxes, a vote when the time comes and habitual grumbling at our own government."

The objection I have to this is the use of the term "better class of citizens"; wealthier they may be, more intellectual and more moral, but "better citizens," in the sense used, they certainly are not, for they frequently do not even do as Mr. Hart says, "vote when the time comes"; the grumbling, however, is all right.

Mayor Davidson, referring to the administration of affairs on business principles, says:

"There is no reason why our city governments should be considered failures, and they would not be so considered if the majority of the people who live in cities desired their affairs to be conducted on the simple lines of common sense and prudence, which are followed in the conduct of private enterprise, and had the energy to force their wishes; but the lamentable truth is that such is not the case. No man who has opportunity to observe closely can fail to any other conclusion than that the application of strict business principles to city business is calculated to excite derision upon the part of the masses.

"This is illustrated in almost the majority of instances where the interest of a city and that of a private corporation come in contact; for in such cases it is invariably charged that those who stand firmly for the protection of the city, are manifesting a hostile spirit towards 'public improvements,' and hence conscientious city officials are subject to ridicule for doing just what a private individual would be censured for not doing."

No truer words than these have ever been spoken, and the fact cannot be emphasized too strongly that those who have ability, education and position are most fitted to perform the duties appertaining to official municipal life are far too often the first to shirk those duties.

It has sometimes suggested itself to me that things are not as black as they are painted, or this apathy would not exist. However that may be, for the abuses that do exist, those who might aid in their correction and do not are directly responsible for them.

A word as to what may be done to correct the abuses complained of, and I shall finish.

The statement of the evils themselves suggest in a large measure their cure.

Experience and study have done and are doing much, and with time will no doubt remedy many defects.

The right of self government will bring about a more independent spirit and create more pride in the success of city government.

Able to govern themselves in national and state matters, the American people ought to be and are able to rule themselves in municipal affairs.

A code which would be not a grant of powers, beyond which the city could not go, but limitations preventing the disregard of the ordinary principles of law and order would in my judgment be much preferable and remove much that is now vexatious and a decided hindrance to free and efficient action.

The exercise of a larger share of municipal patriotism by the citizens thereof is the great step necessary to better city government. Quoting Mayor Davidson again, he says on this point: "How vastly different is the condition of affairs in some prominent cities of the old world. Berlin, for instance, where a refusal to serve in some of the highest municipal offices is punishable by fine and imprisonment, or both, and where the obligation to do so is regarded in such a sacred light that neglect or indifference is at once a mark of dishonor and unworthy citizenship."

Nothing is more essential for our political welfare than the growth of an intelligent devotion of the citizen to his own city and a personal dedication of himself to its healthy and honorable management.

There is needed above all a higher moral tone of thought and action upon the part of citizens themselves in all their relations to municipal life. Let every citizen show that he regards his moral obligations to be as sacred and his sense of honor and right as fine in his transactions with his city as in private dealings. Let him exhibit a worthy patriotism in his municipal political life, a willingness to do his full share, to bear the burdens as well as enjoy the benefits incident to the administration of city affairs.

When this state of affairs shall be brought about we shall see better times in the direction desired. Public servants are as honorable as the balance of mankind, and they will be ever ready and eager to co-operate in the efforts for their betterment.

That better times will come I have no doubt. That we shall see more satisfactory ruling of our cities is certain. The increased knowledge which comes with experience will vastly enhance the power to correct the defects in the practical workings of the municipal machine. Men will learn that the correction of the other evils complained of lies wholly within themselves, and rising to a proper appreciation of the situation, will apply the remedy at whatever cost, and when these things are done we shall have a much more gratifying administration of American municipal governments.

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Wheat Quotations for the Day—Price Current for Produce and Other Articles

San Francisco Commercial Herald of December 3: Review for the week ending Wednesday, December 2, 1891.—At last the local market, which held up for some time against the decline in English cargo markets, has given way. No. 1 spot wheat opened on the 23d at $1 87 1-2@1 90—the highest figure of the year. On the 24th it weakened off to $1 85@1 87 1-2, and on the 25th to $1 82 1-2@1 85. Though somewhat weak, it was held at the same figure on Friday, 27th, but closed yesterday at $1 80@1 82 1-2. Meanwhile the charter market, the great disturbing influence, kept nominally at £1 7s 6d as a figure beyond which nothing could be had for the time being, and less than which nothing would be taken, while the disengaged list is the largest in a long time. It will thus be seen that our market is beginning, at least to follow the indications of that of England. It is hazardous to predict the future of the market, but the prospects all are that the figures of November 23 were the highest of the harvest year.

Receipts for the week have been large—428,421 centals of wheat and 23,628 barrels of flour. The export movement has been large—409,596 centals wheat and 17,122 barrels flour.

The largest movement has been doubtless due to the high prices, exporters being unwilling to pay them and holders being firm.

Arrivals at wheat ports, flour and wheat being reckoned together, from July 1 to November 28, '91, compare as follows with those for the same period in 1890:

	Centals.
1891-2	9,354,565
1890-1	7,246,151

The exports of breadstuffs from this port by sea from July 1, 1891, to December 2, 1891, as compared with the corresponding period of 1889-90 have been as follows:

	1891-92		1890-91	
	Flour, bbls.	Wheat, ctls.	Flour, bbls.	Wheat ctls.
Tot.	406,987	7,176,770	512,410	4,856,095

Bierbohm's London Corn Trade List of November 27: St. Petersburg, Nov. 23.—Owing to the delay which occurred in the distribution of grain for sowing in the districts where the last harvest failed, the fields were sown very late. Consequently, in many places the grain has not had time to strengthen itself sufficiently before the arrival of the frost, and has perished, while in others there has been no sowing at all. In Kazan alone, more than 12,000 desatines, or about 13 per cent. of the total cultivable area of the province have been left unsown with winter wheat. The prospects are little better in Kieff, Voronesk, and Kherson.—Reuter.

Vienna, Nov. 24.—A private letter from Moscow states that the Russian government has considerably over-estimated the quantity of cereals which it disposes for the relief of the famine districts during the coming winter and spring, and that it will be compelled to buy grain in the United States. Great anxiety is expressed in the letter lest there should be revolts in the famine districts of a much more serious kind than any that have yet been chronicled.—Times.

Stocks of Foreign Wheat.

The stock of foreign wheat in all the French ports aggregated, November 1, as follows:

	Nov. 1, 1891.	Nov. 1, 1890.
Total wheat, bu	17,235,000	3,779,000
Total flour, bbls	181,000	92,000

—Liverpool Corn Trade News.

London wheat market easier and 3 to 6 pence lower. Corn steadier. Weather stormy. Liverpool wheat quiet and dull. Corn quiet and dull.

The receipts of wheat at seven principal western points to-day are 604,173 bu., compared with 435,306 bu on the same day last year.

New York "Produce Ex. Weekly" says: The prospects for the Australian wheat crop are only medium, dry weather having affected the crop in South Australia and Victoria and to some extent in New Zealand, the three most important colonies. The South Australian crop by latest reports will not exceed five bushels per acre, or say 8,000,000 bushels. The wheat area is reported generally increased, however.

Reports from Argentine Republic are less cosy, too much rain having fallen in Santa Fe and Entre-Rios, affected the quality of the wheat. Prospects for the maize crop are bad thus far.

It is reported that the English standard bushel has been reduced from 61 to 60 pounds.

Reported exports from New Orleans Monday were 213,000 bushels of wheat.

The receipts of wheat to-day at seven principal western points are 168,815 bu in excess of the corresponding Thursday in 1890.

The export clearances yesterday from four Atlantic ports were 622,979 and flour to an aggregate of 883,000 bu. The export of corn was 123,996 bu and of oats 86,063 bu.

English markets as reported herein are dull and lower for wheat and steady for corn.

The Ohio Crop Report.

The Ohio secretary of the agricultural department has issued his crop report to December 1. Concerning the growing wheat it looks ragged, the condition being made 75 of an average. It is 20 per cent. below last year.

The Government Report.

We are informed that the agricultural department will to-day issue a statement of the condition of the growing wheat, which has not been issued in previous Decembers. It will come too late for this issue. Of course we cannot compare it when it comes with November, 1890, because there was no such report, but the December condition was 98.4. This year the report bids fair to be under 80 per cent of an average condition. Last year the condition of rye was 99.

Wheat Movement.

The receipts of wheat to-day at seven principal western points are less than on any day since July 15. We begin to believe it is not all car famine.

The exports are very large day by day. In flour and wheat the export clearances four days this week are 3,000,000 bu, against 2,515,000 bu in the same days last week. This is from four ports. The stuff continues to go, notwithstanding large stocks abroad.

German Import Duty.

As we understand it, Germany has practically reduced her import duty on wheat. We cannot say how much, but while it will decrease the price to the consumer over there, and may stimulate importations, it will not affect our prices much at present.

The report of weak, and in some cases lower English markets, this morning, had a depressing effect on the spirits of dealers, who expected strength over there, but, all the same, prices commenced 1-4 to 3-8c higher on wheat, with some little additional advance later. Dealers in wheat are striving to hold the market in expectation of the effect of the government report but towards the close the market lost the advance, and at the close was only a small fraction above yesterday.

Outside of the December deal corn has been maintained quite steadily during the day and closed without change.

In New York December and May wheat closed 1-8c up. December corn 1-2c up. May unchanged. December oats unchanged.

In Chicago, December wheat closed 1-8c and May 1-4c sellers, advance. December corn 2 1-2c up. May unchanged. December oats 3-8c up.

Liverpool, Paris and Berlin are reported as closing lower.

In Toledo there has been a moderately fair business in wheat futures reported and the average of prices have been a shade over the closing of yesterday. The market has not been strong at any time, but before said of other markets, it is awaiting one. The dealings have been principally for May.

On the call May sold at $1 03 to $1 03 1-8. After the call December sold at 96 3-8c to 96 5-8c and closed at 96 3-8c bid. May sold at $1 03 1-4 and closed at $1 03, a gain of 1-8c.

Cash wheat was in limited demand and the sales were light. No. 2 soft sold at 96 1-2c to 96 3-8c, a loss of 1-8c. No sales of No. 3 or No. 4 soft. No. 1 white at 95c; No. 2 at 93 1-2c.

Corn—No. 2 for January, 45 1-2c bid and 46 asked. No. 3 at 46c. No. 4 at 42 1-4c to 42 1-2c. Rye—No. 2 at 92c. No. 3 at 88c. Dressed Hogs at $4 25. Yesterday at $4 25 to $4 40.

Clover Seed was unchanged. No sales reported of prime for cash. On the call January sold at $5 35 and February at $5 45. After the call December at $5 35; January at $5 35; March at $5 45. No. 2 at $5 05 to $5 10. Rejected at $4 00.

Markets by Telegraph.

London, Dec. 10.—1 p. m.—Wheat cargoes off coast at opening, quiet; maize nothing offering. Wheat cargoes on passage and for shipment, rather easier; maize steadier. Red winter wheat for prompt shipment, 480 lbs. American terms, 33s 6d. Red winter wheat for present and following month, 480 lbs, American terms, 33s 6d. No. 1 Cala. wheat just shipped or promptly to be shipped, 500 lbs. Cala. terms, 44s 3d; No. 1 Cala. wheat nearly due, 500 lbs, Cala. terms, 44s. French country markets very slow and occasionally cheaper. Weather stormy.

Liverpool, Dec. 10.—1. p. m.—Wheat markets quiet, demand poor, holders offer moderately. American mixed corn quiet, demand poor, 5s 11 1-4d. Wheat and corn off coast demand poor.

New York, Dec. 10.—Flour steady; city mill extra, $5 25 for West Indies; Minnesota extra, $3 65@5 60; superfine, $3 20@3 85; fine, $2 90@3 65. Wheat opened weak and 1-8 lower, but subsequently strengthened and advanced 1-4; No. 2 red winter cash, 1 04; January, 1 07 3-8; February, 1 08 1-4; March, 1 09 3-4. Corn opened weak and 1-8c lower, but soon rallied and advanced 5-8c; No. 2 mixed cash, 67 1-2; December, 65; January, 57 1-2. Oats quiet; No. 2 mixed cash, 42 1-2; December, 41 1-2; January, 40 5-8. Rye dull; state and western, 1 02@1 04. Barley steady; No. 2 Milwaukee, 73@74. Molasses quiet; New Orleans, 35@38. Sugar refined quiet with trading light; cutloaf and crushed, 5 1-8; powdered, 4 1-2; granulated, 4 5-16@4 1-2. Coffee steady; fair rio cargoes, 16 1-8. Rice nominal. Pork dull; new mess, 9 75@10 75. Lard quiet; January, 6 45; February, 6 55. Butter dull; western extra 29@29 1-2. Cheese only moderately active with prices weak; Ohio factory flat, 8@9. Eggs slow and heavy; western fresh, 27. Turpentine weak with light inquiry at 33@33 1-2. Rosin slow; strained to good, 1 35@1 40. Tallow dull; prime city, 4 11-16. Petroleum nominal. Freights quiet; grain to Liverpool steam, 5d.

New York, Dec. 10.—Money 2 1-2@3 per cent. Exchange quiet; posted rates $4 82 1-2@4 85; actual rates $4 81 1-4@4 83 1-2 for 60 days and $4 84@4 84 1-4 for demand.

Government quiet; currency 6s $1 08 1-2, 4s coup. $1 17 1-2 bid, extended 2s registered $1 00 1-2 bid.

Chicago, Dec. 10.—Opening—Wheat—May, 98 5-8c. Corn—Dec., 56c; Jan., 45c; May, 43 3-4c. Oats—May, 33 1-2c. Pork—Jan., $11 02 1-2; May, $11 52 1-2. Lard—Jan., $6 12 1-2; May, $6 50. Ribs—Jan., $5 45; May, $5 82 1-2.

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HIS BALLOON BURST.

London, Dec. Dec. 10.—A dispatch from Bobmay, received to-day, says that Mansfield, the parachutist, has been killed by the bursting of his balloon.

FOUND DEAD IN BED.

Windsor, Vt., Dec. 10.—Charles B. Evarts, son of Wm. M. Evarts, was found dead in bed this morning.

Detroit, Dec. 10.—Close—Wheat—No. 2 red cash, 96 1-4c; Dec., 96 1-4c; May, 81 03 1-8; No. 1 white cash, 95c. Corn—No. 2 cash, 50 1-2c. Oats—No. 2 cash, 34 1-2c.

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Judge Harmon Gives the Prisoners Lately Committed Various Doses.

Judge Harmon this morning passed sentence on those convicted from the recent findings of the grand jury, as follows:

William Davis, grand larceny, two years.

James McGovern, burglary and larceny, plead guilty, two years.

Charles Brand, obtaining money under pretense, one year.

Charles Jasper, burglary and larceny, plead guilty, two years.

Frank Brown, burglary and larceny, plead guilty, three years.

John Wath, grand larceny, plead guilty, three years.

Charles Orwig, assault with intent to kill, plead guilty, three years.

Harry Davenport, burglary and larceny, five years.

ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.

London, Dec. 10.—The chief steward of the steamer Ems, Hersmeyer, while cleaning a pistol on the steamer Sunday, was shot by the accidental discharge of the weapon. He died to-day.

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MINE EXPLOSION.

Berlin, Dec. 10.—A terrible explosion took place this morning in the Freikings-Hoffnung pit at Heinsdorf, in Silesia, killing 25 miners and severely wounding a number of others.

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AMONG THE PEOPLE.

Jottings of Personal Mention About the City,

Gleaned by Members of the Bee Staff—Socials and Small Parties at Different Homes.

A. Aldrich, of Butler, is in the city.

Marion Collamore is suffering with a lame ankle.

Mrs. Will Standard will entertain Monday afternoon.

Miss Knickerbocker will return to her home to-morrow.

Miss Cora Brigham and Jennie Clouse are on the sick list.

Miss Clara Bailey, of Louisiana, is visiting Toledo friends.

Mrs. L. J. Seek, who has been very ill, is convalescent.

Miss Thomson will remain with Toledo friends until next week.

Mr. Joe Sigrist is in Cincinnati, and will return to Toledo Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Keip, of Chicago, are visiting Toledo friends.

Mr. Percy Hone leads the singing in the A grammar classes at the high school.

Miss Edith Williston, who has been very ill, is reported as being some better.

Miss Minnie Conkle has returned to Defiance, after a pleasant visit in Toledo.

Mr. J. S. Miller leaves the city this evening, after a pleasant visit with friends.

Mr. Charles Locke returned from Fairibault, Minn., December 4 and will remain until the 18th.

The Unitarians had an exceedingly pleasant social at Judge and Mrs. Lemmon's, last evening.

Mrs. A. M. C. Barnes, who is called to Buffalo by the death of a friend, will be at home for the holidays.

J. B. Pendergast, of Cleveland, state agent of the New England Life Insurance company, is visiting Toledo friends.

Miss Mollie Brainard will entertain 18 couples with a supper and German Friday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Kapp.

Rev. A. G. Jennings, Mr. J. Wheeler, Mr. O. Baker and Mrs. John Hathaway went to Cincinnati Tuesday to attend a Unitarian convention.

This evening at J. D. Cook's residence on Erie street will occur the marriage of Miss Grace Gordon, a niece of Mr. Cook, and Mr. Gus G. Keip.

Mrs. F. Burdick, of 710 Madison street, left for Springer, N. M., in hopes her health will be benefited. Mrs. Burdick has been an invalid for over a year.

Mrs. J. L. Pease is reported as being slightly better to-day. The attending physician pronounced her out of danger this neon, although she is still seriously ill.

Mrs. J. B. Battelle returned from her sad visit to Delaware, O., yesterday, whither she went to attend the funeral of a sister. She brings two nieces home with her.

The services in memory of Winnie, Mertie and Edna, children of Mr. and Mrs. John Wheeler, will be held at Bethany M. E. church Sunday, December 13, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Orwig (Miss Belle Eldridge) are in Pueblo at present. They have made an extensive tour of the far west and will probably return to Toledo for the holidays.

Among other vocal and instrumental numbers to be given at Elvin Singer's song recital, at his studio Monday evening, will be a rendition of the quartet from Bohemian girl, in which Mr. Singer takes the tenor part.

Miss Grace Hubbard left for Chicago Tuesday. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Hubbard, with the other members of the family, will spend Christmas with Mrs. Kate Hubbard Johnson, at her home in that city.

The Ladies' Foreign Missionary society of Auburndale gave their quarterly tea at Dr. Cosgrove's last evening. The Caddie Munson Missionary society attended in a body and were served at 7 o'clock, after which they held their regular meeting.

Mr. C. T. Wight, commercial agent of the B. & O., has been on the sick list for the past week. He was seen in the corridors of the Madison this morning, and although he does not look quite like himself, having lost 25 pounds, yet he still weighs 225 pounds, and there are hopes of his entire recovery.

Mrs. J. J. Stanley, a pupil of Elvin Singer's, and well known in Toledo, sang Violet, the leading part in the Tycoon, with grand success in Lansing last week. It will be remembered that Mrs. Stanley sang at the last Press club entertainment. Next month she will sing in concert in Detroit, Grand Rapids and East Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jones (Mabel Cronize) are nicely settled in a handsome home of the their own (recently purchased) in the city of Harrisburg, Pa. Mrs. Jones, as chairman of one of the state committees for the world's fair, is busy with her duties in connection with this special position in addition to her music work.

Mr. H. H. Greer, one of the leading attorneys of Mt. Vernon, O., is in the city for a few days, the guest of his brother, Mr. J. T. Greer, and this morning paid a visit to the Bee establishment, of which he spoke in highly complimentary terms. Mr. Greer is at present and has been for some years one of the trustees of the Central insane asylum at Columbus.

A number of Miss Nellie Conway's friends surprised her at her home on Oakwood avenue. A pleasant evening was spent in card playing and dancing. Lunch was served at 10:30. The gentlemen presented the hostess with pink roses. Those present were: Misses Eva De Veaux, Anna McBain, Belle Quinn, Agnesse Turley, Ada McCarthy, Belle Cameron, Tillie Bachman, Nellie Katzenmeyer; Messrs. Nelson Shinaver, Will McBain, Karl Bachman, James Flanders, Ed Wilsdon, Richard Rake, Eugene McCarthy and Dan Conway.

Mrs. Homer T. Yaryan gave a delightful luncheon and card party yesterday. A luncheon, perfect in all its appointments, was served at 1 o'clock, after which progressive euchre was enjoyed, the following ladies being present: Mrs. Gosline, Mrs. Beckwith, Mrs. Reynolds, Mrs. Libby, Mrs. Chapin, Mrs. Backus, Mrs. Waite, Mrs. Calloway, Mrs. Drake, Mrs. Hiett, Mrs. Kinnan, Mrs. Newman, Mrs. Marvin, Mrs. Walding and Misses Berdan, Whitaker, Dodge, Cummings, Kittie Baker, Dolly Waite, Chaddick, Knickerbocker, and White. The prizes were gold bow knot stick pins. Miss Anna Berdan won the first prize, Miss White and Miss Knickerbocker assisted in receiving the guests.

WE ARE THE PEOPLE.

The Day Nursery Shows How Toledoans Nourish Good Things.

The finance committee of the Day Nursery circle met yesterday and took account of what had been done for this, the latest born of our Toledo benecolences. It was found that the contributions which have been sent in through this committee, together with the surplus from membership fees, and one generous donation, formed a sufficient fund to carry on the nursery until February next. Solicitations for money contributions will therefore cease until after the holidays. Mrs. Hubbell, chairman of the finance committee, announced that the next meeting of that comittee will be held at the nursery on the first Wednesday in February, and after that the committee will meet the first Wednesday in each month.

The generous donation referred to is an instance of what the press does for good enterprises. A farmer living near Toledo read in the paper about the Day Nursery circle and what it desired to do, and so much interest did he take in the movement that he sent $20 to Mrs. W. W. Bolles to be given the circle. A great many good people of Toledo stand ready to help along the day nursery.

Toledo, O., Dec. 9, 1891.

Whereas, It has pleased the Almighty, in His all-wise judgment, to remove from our midst our beloved brother, John J. Kennedy; and,

Whereas, In the death of our brother John Kennedy, we have lost a true friend and an earnest worker. Be it

Resolved, That we, the members of Union No. 50, Journeymen Plumbers, Gas and Steam Fitters, extend our heartfelt sympathy to the grief-stricken parents and spread on the minutes of this association. Be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be furnished to the daily papers for publication, and that also a copy be sent to the parents.

JOSEPH McMAHON,
BERT WELLMAN,
TOM REEKIE,
Committee.

See our men's embroidered slips for 75c and $1. J. C. PROSSER & CO.

IN WASH GOODS DEPARTMENT.

New Baby Flannels and loads of new Calicoes and Ginghams. At LAMSONS'.

The People's Nickel Saving Stamps are purchased by both old and young, and are becoming specially popular with mechanics and clerks. The large number of new savings accounts that are being started each week at the People's Savings, Loan and Building company, shows conclusively that the people of Toledo are fast finding out the advantage of saving their money and making it help earn for them.

Our specialty: $3 shoes for everyone. J. C. PROSSER & CO.

See the Art Ginghams for pillows. At LAMSON'S.

FUR TRIMMED CLOAKS.

We can show you bargains. LAMSON BROS.

ANNUAL CONVENTION

Of the Northwestern Ohio Medical Association

Called to Order at Y. M. C. A. Hall This Afternoon—Program of the Proceedings.

The forty-third semi-annual meeting of the Northwestern Ohio Medical association was called to order at 1:30 this afternoon at Y. M. C. A. assembly rooms by President S. S. Thorn, of Toledo.

After the roll call the reports of committees were called for, and postponed until later.

The application of new members was also laid over.

Following is the program for this afternoon:

Diphtheria—Dr. W. V. Anderson, Toledo.
Transplantation of Skin with Presentation of Case—Dr. M. Stamm, Fremont.
Scarlet Fever—Dr. S. S. Rudy, Lima.
Symptoms and Treatment of Enlarged Prostate—Dr. D. P. Chamberlin, Toledo.
This evening these papers will be read:
Medical Ethics—Dr. J. C. Martin, Findlay.
Hemorrhagic Endometritis—Dr. C. A. L. Reed, Cincinnati.
Early Recognitions of Tickets—Dr. Jesse Snodgrass, Kenton.
Placenta Praevia—Dr. F. J. Baldwin, Bluffton.

At 4:30 the association will be the guests of Dr. Tupper at the insane asylum, where supper will be served.

GONE TO ILLINOIS.

Another Hocking Valley Official Follows a Chief.

Break-up of the Boycott Against the Alton—New Cars for the Clover Leaf—Other Railroad Matters.

One by one the subordinate officials under the general superintendent of the Hocking Valley are dropping out and joining their fortunes with General Passenger Agent Rockwell, of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois road.

Soon after Mr. Rockwell's resignation as general superintendent of the Hocking Valley followed that of the superintendent, master mechanic, train dispatcher, and now comes that of M. J. Hoey, foreman of the repair shops at Columbus. Mr. Hoey has filled this position with the Hocking Valley for 20 years. He takes a similar position with the C. & E. I. at Danville, Ill.

The Boycott Will Collapse.

The boycott existing against the Chicago & Alton road will soon be a thing of the past, and another chapter added to the great railroad history which is being compiled by Father Time.

The recent action of the Erie in officially withdrawing from the agreements entered into to withhold all passenger business from the Alton, and announcing its determination to resume former relations is the beginning of the end.

As is well known the immediate cause of the trouble was the action taken by the Chicago & Alton in refusing to pledge itself not to pay commission.

The Alton during the whole fight has maintained its position openly and with a grim determination, that created most favorable commendation on all sides.

The road did nothing to encourage the attack, but rather made an effort to avoid it. The boycott was instituted by the board of rulings, instead of connecting lines, which added great strength to the Alton's position. A great many passenger officials, both of the Alton's connections and other lines as well, while not in favor of paying commissions, were loth to become a party to a boycott.

It was only necessary for some line to take the lead, when a stampede would follow. The Erie has taken such steps, and now comes the repair that the Baltimore & Ohio and Niagara Falls Short line have followed the Erie and will resume traffic relations with the Alton.

Will Have Free Chair Cars.

Beginning to-day the Toledo, St. Louis & Kansas City railroad (Clover Leaf route) will put on free chair cars between St. Louis and Toledo. These cars are from the shops of the St. Charles Car company. They are elegantly designed and finished, furnished with reclining chairs of the most improved pattern, and fitted with buffet, smoking room and lavatories. The cars will be managed by the company, the intention being to supply the convenience of a dining car at the most reasonable cost.

The improvement of this line in every department, especially the passenger service, has been most marked, and the company is keeping abreast of the times regardless of expense.

Working Against the O. R. T.

San Francisco, Dec. 10.—The Southern Pacific has been for some time circulating a paper among the telegraph operators employed on its line asking them to swear that they will not belong to the Order of Railway Telegraphers without consent of the division superintendent. The paper proved to be obnoxious to a great many, and yesterday 300 operators stationed in Arizona and New Mexico went out on a strike. The company will try to replace them with non-union men.

Boston & Maine.

Boston, Dec. 10.—At the annual meeting of the Boston & Maine stockholders to-day, Wm. C. Whitney, of New York, Joseph H. White, of Brookline, Mass., Walter Hunnewell, of Boston, and Geo. H. Haven, of New York, were elected directors to take the places of Messrs. Sinclair, Paul, Sewall and Potter. The other members of the board were re-elected.

SOME SPICY CURRENT TOPICS

Of Local and Neighborhood Interest.

Notes and Comments on Incidents Occurring Daily—Prepared for Readers Who are Hustled for Time.

THE KNIFE BLADE EXAMINED.

A motion was filed in common pleas court to-day for an allowance of $20 to Dr. Thomas Hubbard, for making a microscopical examination of the knife which is being held as evidence in the McDonald murder case.

FELL FROM A TRAIN.

A brakeman on the Lake Shore road named Thomas Duggan had his back severely strained by a fall from a car at Air Line Junction yesterday afternoon. He was taken to St. Vincent's hospital by McGlynn's ambulance.

BOUND OVER.

Claude Gregory, one of the lads involved in a cutting scrape a few weeks ago, had a hearing in police court this morning. He admitted having cut young Nish with a pocket knife, and was bound over to the common pleas court, with bail fixed at $800.

HE WANTS $5,000.

The case of Bruce Bromley against Berdan & Co., wholesale grocers on St. Clair street, was begun in Judge Pugsley's room of the common pleas court to-day. Bromley fell over a plank extended across the sidewalk and was injured, and he sues to recover $5,000 damages.

A SMALL FIRE.

A signal shanty in the Lake Shore yards on the Middle Grounds was burned about 10:15 last evening. On account of the position of the house the fire department was unable to reach it with water, and it burned to the ground destroying some tools and clothes belonging to yard men. The loss is about $500.

FABER DISCHARGED IN ONE CASE.

Charles Faber, alias Red Leary, was tried in police court this morning on a charge of receiving stolen property, the same being about $70 worth of railroad passes. He was discharged in this case but another charge of the same kind is still pending against him and will be heard Tuesday.

THE BAR'S BANQUET.

The Toledo Bar association is making extensive preparations for the banquet to be given at the Boody house, December 16, and a most enjoyable time is anticipated.

Members are requested to notify Col. H. S. Bunker of their intentions to attend, so as to aid in laying plates for the spread.

FORCED WIFE DESERTION.

Monday the husband of an Erie street boarding house keeper was fired because he refused to pay his board, although working and receiving good wages. He left, Yesterday he returned and demanded half of the furniture. The lady threatened to call in the police unless he got out, which he promptly did. He says it is a nice thing for a man to be turned out of "his own house."

WON HIS CASE.

In Judge Harmon's court the jury in the case of The State of Ohio vs. Fred Guettler was concluded late yesterday afternoon. In this case the defendant was charged with burglary and larceny, and the money which was identified was found upon his person by the detectives. Mr. F. E. Wright, who appeared as counsel for Guettler, presented able defense and succeeded in securing a verdict of not guilty.

TOLEDO POST, G. A. R.

The annual election of officers for Toledo post, G. A. R., was held last evening, and resulted as follows:

Commander—W. H. McLyman.
Senior vice—R. G. Bacon.
Junior vice—W. C. Mettler.
Quartermaster—Edwin Goldsmith.
Chaplain—A. G. Jennings.
Surgeon—E. A. Collamore.
Officer of the day—F. J. Wolfert.
Officer of the guard—J. C. Prentiss.
Trustee—A. M. Woolson.
Delegate to department encampment—J. H. Puck; alternate, Wm. Corlett.

A social hour was spent at the close of the election, and happy talks were made by various members.

DEATH OF MISS HOWARD.

Miss Florence May Howard, daughter of Frank and the late Ida M. Howard, died while visiting friends at Cincinnati yesterday, after a brief illness from pneumonia. Her parents in this city had not been apprised of the serious character of her illness until Tuesday evening and then hastened to her bedside, where they arrived a few hours before her death, which had not been anticipated. The remains, accompanied by the parents arrived in the city this morning, where they were met by friends of the family and conducted to her late home, No. 559 Crittenden avenue, from which residence the funeral will take place to-morrow at 1:30 p. m. Interment at Woodlawn, and friends of the family are invited.

K. P. GRAND LODGE OFFICERS.

Returns have been received from 392 lodges by Grand Secretary Court on the general list, and 404 on the office for which he is a candidate. The figures for the contestants up to noon today are:

Grand Chancellor—Dorn, 2,553.
Vice Chancellor—Lewis, 2,558.
Prelate—Sutphen, 1,517; Carter, 1,048.
Keeper of Records—Court, 2,204; Tucker, 494.
Master of Exchequer—Hitchens, 2,538.
Master-at-Arms—Bridge, 2,543.
Inner Guard—Ward, 1,194; Jenkins, 1,373.
Outer Guard—Scholes, 375; Winn, 1,425; Seacrist, 132; Talbot, 187; Wingate, 60; Worley, 363.

THE Y. W. C. A.

Ladies of the city interested in the Young Women's Christian association determine that the first advance made must be in the way of pleasanter rooms than those now occupied. This is very essential for the progress of their work. Mrs. Fisk, wife of Rev. D. M. Fisk, of the First Congregational church, was actively identified with the Y. W. C. A. in Jackson, Michigan, where they have an elegant building with rooms nicely fitted up, and the influence of the Association is somewhat commensurate with that enjoyed by the older, and most cases better equipped, Y. M. C. A. Can Toledo afford to be behind Michigan cities less in size and importance? There is a wide field for good work in this line that is comparatively untouched by other organizations, numerous as they are.

THE BOYS' HOME.

A pleasant sight greeted the visitor at the Newsboys' home, corner of Ontario and Washington, one evening recently. It was the boys in their evening class intent on their studies. An evening paper of the city speaks of these boys as "gamins," to which term they seriously object, as do also the managers of the home. They are self-respecting little fellows, who pay a quarter of their earnings for the support of the home when they are in luck and have work, and who, as a rule, fully appreciate its shelter and assistance when they are otherwise uncared for. Among these very lads are those who will one day distance the favored ones, obliged to make no effort of their own for support and education. Matron Sites has good influence over the boys and the home is well kept. It is an institution worthy liberal charity. It is better, nobler, cheaper to train homeless boys into good citizens than to build reformatories and penal institutions in which to confine them, in later years, when through neglect and bad influence they go astray.

C. P. JURORS NEXT TERM.

The following regular jurors have been drawn for the January term of common pleas court:

J. A. Walsh, Eighth ward; William Drennan, Richfield; Sylvester Brown, Sixth ward; J. G. Lampson, Third ward; Michael Sugrue, Second ward; D. A. Carpenter, Ninth ward; F. C. Chapin, First ward; Peter Lynch, Ninth ward; Frank Connors, Eighth ward; Frederick Hopper, Eighth ward; Thomas McCullough, Sixth ward; Wm. D. Jordan, Second ward; Carl Becker, Eighth ward; John Nagely, Third ward; Fred Boice, Seventh ward; J. C. Whitsen, Seventh ward; J. B. Baldy, Second ward; R. Goddard, First ward; W. J. Haderman, Seventh ward; Harmon Farner, Spencer twp.; F. W. Machen, Spencer township; N. E. Ball, Ninth ward; Henry Van Karson, Second ward; Oliver Lloyd, Eighth ward; W. J. Kacheman, Fourth ward; Julius Frey, Eighth ward; Warner Fish, Ninth ward; L. Burkhardt, Oregon township; Joseph Diger, First ward; Joseph Moll, Ninth ward; Peter Walker, Sixth ward; H. J. C. Blackmore, Sixth ward; M. J. Town, Second ward; George Bender, Second ward; Jeremiah Daily, Ninth ward.

NIGHT CLASSES AT THE HIGH SCHOOL.

Attention is called to the fact that there is being given in connection with the Manual training night school, a series of popular talks on subjects included within the domain of physics and chemistry. These talks are made as free as possible from technical terms so that any one of ordinary ability can understand them. They are illustrated largely by experiments and every effort is made to make them interesting and instructive. Some idea of the topics discussed may be gained from the following:

1. Matter and Its Properties.
2. Atmospheric Phenomena.
3. Dynamics of Water.
4. Principles of Machinery.
5. Electricity and Appliances.
6. Heat and Applications.
7. A Study of the Elements and More Important Compounds.
8. A Study of Combustion.
9. A Study of Explosives.
10. A Study of Chemical Composition of Air and Water.

The course includes forty talks. The classes meet Thursday evenings from 7:30 to 9:30, the time being divided between physics and chemistry. Students expecting to take the state examination in pharmacy will find the course especially useful.

THE REBELS DEFEATED.

Reports From China of a More Peaceful Nature.

London, Dec. 10.—Advices from Pekin state that the rebels have been again defeated.

This may be the same battle of which the Chinese legation was advised yesterday.

The dispatch further announces that the emperor is studying English. The council of state opposed this idea but the dowager empress overruled them.

Hoofland's Bitters for dyspepsia.

Go to Lamsons' and see that bargain in Biaritz Gloves.

THE HORSES ARE SICK.

Vienna, Dec. 10.—The epidemic of influenza in upper Austria is serious. The number of people disabled is very great and the disease has extended to horses, many of which are prostrated, and some of which have died.

MOTHERS! MOTHERS! MOTHERS!

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain; cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

Stultz & Bauer pianos in all styles of finish. It will pay you to see them. J. W. GREENE & CO. Pythian Castle.

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For fine Family Liquors and Wines, it will be to your interest to call on BEHR, Corner Adams and Huron streets.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of the late Miss Florence M. Howard will take place from the family residence, 559 Crittenden avenue, 1:30 p. m., Friday. Interment at Woodlawn. p

LATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

WORK WANTED AT WASHING, IRONing or housework by a woman with family dependent on her work. Address E. 87, Bee office. 21

WANTED—A COMPETENT BARBER AT 26 Broadway.

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THE IDEN-GAUMER CASE.

A Complicated Election Contest in Court.

Licking County's Election Board Is Brought Prominently Before the Public Once More.

Columbus, O., Dec. 10.—The Iden-Gaumer contest for the state senatorship from the Fifteenth-Sixteenth joint district has at last reached the supreme court.

Attorney F. F. D. Alberry filed a petition asking for an alternative writ of mandamus compelling the Muskingum county election board to issue a certificate of election to Mr. Iden on the face of the returns—that is, the returns received from Delaware, Perry and Muskingum counties—omitting Licking's vote.

The vote in the three counties first named gives Iden a plurality of 761, but Licking wipes this out and elects Gaumer by one vote.

The republicans claim, however, that with the correct vote of Licking county Iden has a plurality of 5.

The point raised in the petition is based on the failure of the Licking county election board to agree on the returns. The board, having failed to agree, declined to certify the election of either candidate. In the petition it is claimed that, as there is no return from Licking county, the certificate of election must be issued to Mr. Iden on the returns from the other counties.

Mr. Gaumer will also have an inning in the supreme court before the case

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MALE HELP WANTED.

TAILORS WANTED IMMEDIATELY, who can talk good English; steady work. Plymouth Rock Pants Co., 603 Adams st. 9dec3

WANTED—BOY—GOOD, HONEST, INdustrious boy, to take care of horse; German preferred. Apply at 1145 Grand ave. 24

TRAVELING SALESMEN TO SELL baking powder to the retail grocery trade. Men acquainted with different sections of the country. A good side line, also good opportunity for clerks or any live men who want to go on the road; experience not absolutely necessary. We mean business. To the right men liberal contracts will be made and steady work given; we pay not less than $75 month salary and expenses or 20 per cent. commission. Address, with stamp, U. S. Chemical Works, 840 and 842 Van Buren Street, Chicago, Ills. 8dec12

YOUNG MAN TO MANAGE OFFICE IN Detroit. Salary $75 per month; must furnish best references and $350 cash capital. Address Room 3, 4th floor, 271 Woodward ave., Detroit. 10dec6

WANTED—FOR THE UNITED STATES army, able-bodied, unmarried men, between the ages of 21 and 35 years; good vaccinations, clothing and medical attendance; applicants must be prepared to furnish satisfactory evidence as to age, character and habits. Apply at 4th floor, Bass Block Callioun st., Ft. Wayne, Ind. 3July6m

WANTED—ACTIVE MEN TO SELL the life of Charles Stewart Parnell; easy to sell on account of the eminence of the subject, the beauty of the work and the cheapness of the price; liberal commission. Address E. 74, Bee office. 26

WANTED—GERMAN BOY 14 OR 15 years old, to learn type setting. Toledo Volksfreund, 406 Adams street. 23

COATMAKERS WANTED—NONE BUT first-class workmen need apply. Call at A. Machen & Co.'s, 319 Superior street.

WANTED—BARBER, FIRST-CLASS, IMmediately; steady work. Apply at Clouse's, opposite New Bee Building, St. Clair st. 22

WANTED—A FEW GOOD MEN IN Toledo to help advertise Rival Emulsive Soap. None but those that are acquainted and respectable needed. Address Rival Emulsive Soap Co., 504 Superior st., Toledo. 20

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS COOK; ONE who understands pastry cooking, at 707 Madison street. 21

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork; must be a good cook, washer and ironer; wages $3.50 per week; German preferred. Apply 2065 Ashland ave., corner Floyd street. 24

WANTED—A GOOD, COMPETENT GIRL for general housework; good wages. Call 453 Missouri street. 23

WANTED—A GOOD, COMPETENT GIRL for general housework at 1238 Dorr street, German preferred. 23

WANTED—GIRL TO COOK, WASH AND iron. Call forenoon at 1213 Superior st. 24

WANTED—GIRL AT BURNETT HOUSE 24

WANTED—A FIRST CLASS FEMALE cook at New Grove House, Columbus Grove, Ohio. 24

WANTED—A GOOD GIRL TO COOK, wash and iron. Call at 228 17th street; call mornings. 24

WANTED—GOOD COMPETENT KITCHen girl; good wages. Apply at once, 2nd door after 16th street on Jefferson. 23

WANTED—GIRL ABOUT 16 YEARS, TO do light housework and take care of children. Call at 526 Vance st. 27

WANTED—GOOD GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Call at 721 Collingwood ave. 27

WANTED—IMMEDIATELY—A GIRL for general housework in family of four; good wages to good girl; at 611 Madison st.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL housework, family of three. Apply to Mrs. E. J. Stock, 2050 Collingwood ave. 26

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS DINING room girl and lady dish-washer, for hotel in North Baltimore. Address T. H. Carter 27

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL FOR general housework at 1418 Cherry street. C. F. Roulet. 29

WANTED — LADY PARTNER TO travel with man in theater. Address E 71, Bee office. 29

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED WOMAN cook; good wages; 552 Ontario street. 29

ROOMS FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED BACK ROOM on first floor; suitable for two gentlemen, with board. Call at 757 Madison st. 10dec6

ROOMS FOR RENT—ENQUIRE AT Weber's Shoe Store, 837 Summit st. 8dec6p

FOR RENT—LARGE FRONT SLEEPING room, heated, suitable for one or two gentlemen; also one small sleeping room. Call at 116 Erie street, near Monroe. 7dec6p

FOR RENT — NICELY FURNISHED rooms; also rooms for light housekeeping, with use of bath. Apply at 28 Ontario st., bet. Monroe and Washington. 7dec6p

ROOMS FOR RENT—A SUITE OF TWO or three furnished rooms, as desired; reference required. Call 324 12th st. 8dec6p

FOR RENT—ROOM WITH BOARD, 616 Madison; references required. 7dec6p

FOR RENT—7-ROOM HOUSE AT 813 Dorr street, newly papered and painted; natural and artificial gas, well and cistern water, also barn; neighborhood first-class. Call at 725 East Bancroft st. 4dec6p

FOR RENT—TWO NICE ROOMS, FURnished or unfurnished, with gas; 10 minutes walk from postoffice. Call 1117 Washington street. 21nov-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS SINGLE AND EN suite and board. Inquire 220 Huron street. 10sep-tf

FOR RENT—HOUSES.

FOR RENT—TENEMENT NO. 1621 ON Dorr street. Thomas Dunlap, No. 241 Superior street. 10dec-tf

HOUSE FOR RENT—NEW 2-STORY house of 8 rooms on corner Walnut and Vermont ave., extended modern conveniences; $12.50 per month. F. B. Losee & Co., 329 Superior st. 10dec2

FOR RENT—TWO COTTAGES BEtween Collingwood avenue and Lenk. Enquire 553 Wisconsin. I. Wallen.

FOR RENT—$9, POSSESSION NOW, this 2-story house with cellar, on Milburn ave.; well, cistern, natural gas. S. G. Van Buren, 3 Law Building. 9dec2

FOR RENT—ON LAWRENCE AVE., near Monroe street school, fine modern-built house, 10 rooms, all modern improvements. S. G. Van Buren, 3 Law Building. 9dec3

HOUSE FOR RENT—A TWO STORY double house, located on East Broadway, East Toledo, near Nevada street. Key can be found next door. The house has 7 rooms on each side, natural gas, well and cistern. Rent only $10 per month. C. E. Thompson, 413 12th street. 27nov-tf

FOR RENT—NEWLY BUILT MODERN house of eight rooms; nicely located; near "Belt Line," or 15 minutes walk from Summit street; rent reasonable. Call at corner Franklin avenue and Page street, or address Box 344. 8dec3

HOUSE FOR RENT—A HOUSE OF 12 rooms with all the modern improvements, including natural gas, at 1225 Superior st.; splendid neighborhood, convenient to business. Apply to V. W. Granger, 305 Summit street. 4apr-tf

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A KNABE SQUARE PIANO, in first-class condition, almost new; will be sold at a sacrifice. Call at 621 Cherry st. 10dec6p

HOUSE FOR SALE—HOUSE AND TWO lots on Lagrange street, cor. Sherman, lots Nos. 5 and 6, Rowsey's addition. Lot 379, Vistula, fronting Superior street, next to Cherry street. Lots on Second street, cor. of Elm, East Toledo. Lots in North Toledo on New York avenue, Summit avenue, Erie street, Barrett street, Chase street, Ontario street and Pontiac street. Thomas Dunlap, 241 Superior st. 10dec1m

GROCERY FOR SALE—GROCERY AND saloon on good corner, doing good business; will sell cheap. Address E. 86, Bee office, if you want a good business. 10dec6p

FOR SALE—STOCK GROCERIES—DOing good cash business; at a bargain; located on one of the best grocery streets in the city; no old stock. Address E. 83, care of Bee. 9dec6

FOR SALE—THREE THOROUGHBRED English Pug puppies; $5 a piece, at 734 Tecumseh street. 8dec3p

FOR SALE—STOCK OF GROCERIES, grocers' fixtures, butchers' tools, ice box, meat block, two horses and delivery wagon; will be sold cheap to suit purchasers. Call at once grocery store corner Adams and Huron streets. 8dec6p

FOR SALE — MILK ROUTE, TEAM, wagon and cans, with agreement to furnish the milk. Address E. 82, Bee office. 8dec6p

FOR SALE—160 ACRES OF LAND IN Lucas county for $1,700; $700 down and long time for balance. Inquire 21 Drummond Block. 8dec3p

FOR SALE—RESIDENCE—2040 FRANKlin avenue; lot 75 feet front; house contains modern improvements, and is, without doubt, one of the most desirable locations in the city. Will be sold at reasonable price and terms to desirable purchaser. Apply to W. C. Crabbs, Boody House block. 4dec-tf

FOR SALE—GOOD LOT ON CHERRY street, near Sherman street, well located, 41x130. Will sell at reasonable figure. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—ON BARTLETT STREET, near Wells street, frontage to suit, lots 127 feet deep. Special inducements to parties desiring to build. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—STRICTLY FIRST CLASS property on Superior st., between Madison and Jefferson street; very desirable for improvement or investment; get our figures. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—LOT ON LINCOLN AVE., near Shaw ave., 35x120; good location; street cars convenient; prices reasonable. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—ON ERIE ST., NORTH TOledo, two lots at a bargain, each 25 feet front. For prices and particulars see Irving B. Hiett & Co.

BLACKSMITH SHOP FOR SALE — Blacksmith's tools and small stock iron; good location for right man; no competition. Address E. C. Thrall, Hector, O. 5dec6

FOR SALE—LOT IN CHERRY PLACE on Kent street, near Page street; good location; will sell at very reasonable price. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—ON COLLINGWOOD AVE., near Cherry street, choice residence property 240 feet deep; surroundings first class; get our figures on these lots. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—A FEW VERY DESIRABLE residence lots still left in Webster Place. If you want to buy cheap, now is the time to buy this property. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—FIRST CLASS PROPERTY for factory purposes on Wabash ave., near Thirteenth street; will sell at prices that are right. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—LOT 40x200 ON VANCE ST., near Detroit ave.; good property for investment; get our price and let us show you the lot. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—ON ONTARIO STREET, BEtween Mulberry and Magnolia streets; good location, at low figure. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—FRONTAGE TO SUIT, ON Forrer street, near Collingwood ave.; street cars convenient; lots all of good depth. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—GOOD PROPERTY FOR factory or cheap residence purposes, on Smith street; lots 118 feet deep, frontage to suit. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—FRONTAGE TO SUIT, ON Germania street, Indiana avenue and Missouri street, near Ewing street, lots at a low figure; if you want desirable 8th ward property see Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—COLLINGWOOD AVENUE, near Washington street; good neighborhood; street cars convenient; will sell frontage to suit, or build for parties desiring. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—ON MICHIGAN ST., NORTH Toledo, corner lot, well located, and at proper price, lot 40 feet front and good depth. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

RESTAURANT AND SAMPLE ROOM for sale cheap, if sold immediately, at 912 Adams street. Inquire at premises. 27nov-tf

FOR SALE—ONE BAY MARE, CHEAP, at 439 Segur ave. Call soon. 25nov-tf

PROPERTY FOR SALE—HOUSE AND lot on Walbridge ave., $2,500; house and lot on Washington st., $2,500; 73 feet on Collingwood, near Delaware ave., at $40; 100 feet on Robinwood, near Bancroft, at $30; house and lot on Lee st., 9th ward, $1,400; 3 new cottages now being built on East Broadway, for $1,000 each; small down payments, balance monthly. Irving and Russell, 16 Produce Exchange. 25aug-tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—MEAT MARKET with all conveniences; 1417 Cherry st., Toledo, Ohio. 7nov1m-p

THEATER FOR SALE — PROPERTY known as the Standard theater is for sale, rent or long lease; can be used for theatrical or manufacturing purposes; owner wishes to retire from business on account of sickness. I mean business. Enquire at the theater, Toledo, O. 4nov-tf

WANTED—SITUATIONS.

A WOMAN WISHES TO TAKE WASHing at home, 1012 Broadway. 21

WANTED—A SITUATION BY SHOEmaker; good at repairing. Address E. 84, Bee office.

WANTED—SITUATION IN BOARDING house or hotel; second work or light housework, for plain elderly couple, or store work through holidays; capable. Call or address Miss M. Humm, 615 Washington st. 22

WANTED—SITUATION AS CLERK IN store by girl 17 years old. Address 642 Prouty ave. 24

WANTED—SITUATION BY A QUALIfied, practical boiler man and engineer; over 13 years practical experience with stationary steam boilers and engines; married; resident of city; references given. Call or address Jack, 116 Tecumseh street. 24

WANTED—WORK BY A UNION CARpenter; good on soft or hard wood finishing or any outside work. Call or send word to 621 Lafayette st, city, near Erie. 27

WANTED—POSITION AS DRUG CLERK. Have had 12 years experience; best of reference as to ability; strictly sober. Address Bromide, 219 West street, Findlay, Ohio. 26

WANTED—SITUATION BY A YOUNG man of 20; one who is willing to work and can come well recommended. Address Jas. Hanks, 4 Unity Block. 26

WANTED—SITUATION BY A BOY TO work in restaurant. Address Room 8, Unity Block.

WANTED—SITUATION BY A YOUNG man 19 years of age, in a store or office; speaks three languages, and is a fair penman. Address E. 79, care of Bee office.

WANTED—SITUATION—BY A BOY 17 years old to tend to horse and act as coachman in some private family. Address 603 St. Clair st. 28

WANTED—WASHING TO DO AT HOME by lady in the Ninth ward. Address J. J. E 76, care Bee 27

WANTED—SITUATIONS.

WANTED—WORK BY YOUNG MAN OF any kind to do; inside work preferred. Address E 75, Bee office. 27

WANTED—DRESSMAKING IN FAMIlies by a competent dressmaker. Address M. M. Markahar, Postoffice. 27

COOK—WANTED SITUATION BY MIDdle-aged lady as cook in hotel or restaurant; no objection to going out of the city. Address E 78, Bee office. 27

WANTED—WASHING AND IRONING to do; call at 1012 Broadway. 28

WANTED — SITUATION IN RETAIL grocery or driving delivery wagon. Address E 72, Bee office. 29

WANTED—A SITUATION AS DELIVery clerk or any work around store; has had 10 years' experience. Address E 52, Bee office.

WANTED—SITUATION AS PHARMAcist; registered; single man; six years experience. Address E. 81, Bee office, Toledo, Ohio. 24

WANTED—POSITION AS PRESSMAN—A 1 on book and job work; have had several years' experience in eastern cities; recommendations first class. Address W. B., 133 State street, Elkhart, Ind. 29

MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—GOOD DELIVERY HORSE; must be tough, sound and cheap. Boston Variety Store, 323 Summit st. 9dec-tf

DON'T FAIL TO COME TO THE AUCtion sale of pictures, picture frames, etc., Thursday, Dec. 10, '91, at 724 Oak street. David Schafer.

WANTED—BOARD BY A GENTLEMAN in private American family. Address E. 85, Bee office. 9dec3p

HOTEL WANTED—LEASE AND FURNIture of hotel in thriving country town. Address with full particulars, H., Toledo Bee. 7dec6p

FOR EXCHANGE—SAFETY BICYCLE for a good watch; splendid chance for a good bargain. Address E. 80, Bee office. 5dec6p

FIRE, ACCIDENT AND PLATE GLASS insurance and real estate. Phone 1288. C. C. & H. H. ("Bert") Dawson, 2 New Bee Building, first floor. 3dec-tf

WANT TO BUY A PLATFORM SPRING wagon-gear; carry 1,500 to 2,000; address Wm. Heagh, 905 Washington st. Phone 1017. 4dec6

CIVIL ENGINEERING—IF YOU ARE wanting any civil engineering or architectural work done, any mechanical map, patent office or other draughting executed, or have any blue prints to be made, consult J. N. Huston, civil engineer and architect, Worthington Block. 5dec6p

"PRINCE OF COLLINGWOOD," REGISTered Holstein Prussian Bull has been removed to the Whitney farm on Monroe st., 1-4 mile beyond Wagon Works. 5dec6p

DON'T FAIL TO SEE THOSE FINE cabinets at Dubbs & Co.'s for $2.00 per dozen. 24nov-tf

WANTED — EVERYBODY TO KNOW that the best cabinet photographs for the least money are made at Alley Gallery, 345 Summit. Good cabinets for $2 per dozen. 21nov1m

SPECIAL DEDUCTION FOR CHILdren's pictures at Dubbs & Co.'s, 331 Broadway. 24nov-tf

FINE CABINETS AT DUBBS & CO.'S for $2.00 per dozen; 331 Broadway. 24nov-tf

FIRE! FIRE! START YOUR FIRE WITH the McDonald Fire Kindler, the best one in the market; agents wanted. Call at 1131 Erie street. 31octlm

EAST TOLEDO TO THE FRONT! SEE her grow! Patronize Thompson's E. Z. Payment Furniture store, 109 Bridge street, and promote the business interests of your own ward. 27oct-to-Jan-1

WANTED—CITIZENS OF TOLEDO TO know that Koella the artist has moved from Fourth ward to Hassenzahl's Block, 324 Cherry street. Call if you want fine photography. 29sep3m

ANY ONE HAVING MONEY TO LOAN on improved city or farm property at good rates will find it to their interest to call on T. S. Merrell, 512 Madison st. No charge for investment. 17aug1yr

DO YOU WANT A PENSION? IF YOU do, and have doubts as to your claim, consult J. H. and Louis Conner Monroe and Murfee Space. Advice given free. 7apr1yr

WANTED—THE PEOPLE TO KNOW that they can get anything they want in the line of stationary, art goods, cigars and tobacco, at Geo. T. Frey's, 611 Cherry street. 31jan1yr

GEORGE W. MERRILL, JUSTICE OF the Peace and Notary Public; deeds, leases, mortgages and all legal papers executed; special attention paid to collection of commercial paper. Office hours, 8 a. m. to 9 p. m. Room 26 Law Building, corner Superior and Madison streets. jan12tf

PERSONAL.

PERSONAL — YOUR FUTURE REvealed. Written prediction of your life, 10c. Give date of birth. Astrologer, L. Box 326, Kansas City, Mo. 13nov7w

PERSONAL—SEND 10c FOR BIG PACKage of cabinet size pictures, also full description (including residences) of respectable ladies who want to correspond for matrimony; 5,000 lady members; every age and nationality; living everywhere; many of them beautiful and wealthy. Heart and Hand Agency, Drawer 697, Chicago, Ill. 13nov5w

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—DOG — PUG, WITH BLACK mixed on back; wore collar. Liberal reward if returned to 133 Bancroft, corner Putnam. 10dec2p

LOST—$10 REWARD—WHITE SETTER bitch; ears black and white; black patch over right eye; tail has lump about two inches from end. Call on or address E. R. Young, care Shaw, Kendall & Co. 10dec6p

LOST—WATCH CHARM CONTAINING one photograph of an old gentleman; prized as a gift. A liberal reward for its return to the Finlay Brewing Co. 9dec2p

LOST—LADY'S LEATHER PURSE ON Madison street, between Summit and 20th; contained small sum of money and R. R. ticket. Finder will please leave at Bee office and receive reward. 9dec2p

LOST—AN OBLONG BROOCH SET WITH one amethyst and rubies; lost between People's theater and State street, Saturday evening. Finder please return to 210 Summit street and receive reward. 8dec3

LOST—GOLD RING, SET WITH THREE diamonds and two emeralds, on Friday evening; reward by returning to 239 Summit st. 4dec6p

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY TO LOAN—ON IMPROVED city real estate; and on short time on approved chattels, without moving. J. P. Delphey & Co., Real Estate, 7 Adams Block, cor. St. Clair and Adams sts. 12nov1m

MONEY TO LOAN—IF YOU WANT $25 to $500 on chattel mortgage, I will negotiate such loans on fair terms. M. O. Waggoner, office and residence, 613 Madison street. 24octlyr

MONEY—TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE in large or small amounts at low rate of interest. T. S. Merrell, 512 Madison street. 17aug1yr

MONEY TO LOAN ON HOUSEHOLD goods, pianos, horses, wagons, etc., without removal; partial payments received reducing cost pro rata; all business strictly confidential. Croft Room 14, Worthington Block, Adams and Superior streets. 16may-tf

FOR EXCHANGE.

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR GOOD UNIMproved city property, the equity of $10,400; rent list, $1,400 yearly. S. G. Van Buren, 3 Law Building. 9dec2

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR FIRST CLASS city residence or business property, fine stock farm, 200 acres, Wood Co., 4 miles from city. S. G. Van Buren, 3 Law Building. 9dec2

TO EXCHANGE—PARTIES HAVING horse, buggy, safety bicycle, watch or anything of value to dispose of can make profitable exchange and have employment if desired by calling Room 22, Hanner House. 8dec6p

Fine Linen Goods for the holidays. NEUHAUSEL BROS.

For colored Dress Goods go to a one-priced house. LAMSON BROS.

DIED.

KENNEDY—Dec. 8, 1891, at 2:30 p. m., John J. Kennedy, aged 23 years, at the residence of his parents, No. 402 Wisconsin street.

Funeral from St. Patrick's church, Friday at 9 a. m. 9dec2p

DILLON—Wednesday, Dec. 9, at 4 o'clock a. m., John C. Dillon, aged 23 years, 11 months and 9 days.

Funeral from St. Patrick's church Saturday at 8 a. m. p

CITY NEWS.

Ask for Seyfang's "New Process" bread.

Committee night at the council chamber.

Quail shooting closes next Tuesday night.

The Crescent Livery Co. Phone 809

Another blockade of cars was a sight on Summit street last night.

The Jolly Dancing club has a party at Memorial hall on New Year's eve.

Rubicon lodge, F. and A. M., will hold the annual election next Monday evening.

A ball is to be given by Banner division, ladies' auxiliary to the O. R. C., this evening.

Meet your friends at the depot with a carriage or coupe from the Crescent Livery Co. Phone 809.

Rev. William Sheridan is in Defiance, assisting at revival meetings being held in the Baptist church.

Jennie L. Turner applied in common pleas court to-day for a divorce from her husband, Clifton Turner.

State Aukenkaust sued Charles Sass, et al., in common pleas court to-day to recover $204.50 on an account.

Opera glasses at Chas. B. Bargman's.

Toledo council, R. and S. M., elect officers to-night. Mert Robinson, the T. I. M., promises a good time.

The Toledo police are on the lookout for a mare, wagon and harness which was stolen at Swanton yesterday.

The remains of Mrs. Ellen Duggan were yesterday removed from the vault at Calvary cemetery and placed in a grave.

The county commissioners this morning passed a resolution to-day to rebuild the bridge over Ten Mile creek at Lang's place.

Treasurer Hunter awaits the appearance of saloon keepers with the tax under the Dow law. The tax must be paid before the 20th.

Gold glasses at Chas. B. Bargman's.

Mr. Frank Trowbridge has leased one of the new houses on Robinwood avenue, built by Wm. Boos, and will remove thereto in the early spring.

Retail Merchants' association is in session at Columbus, with a view to arranging amendments to be presented to the legislature relative to creditors.

The Union Missionary tea at Dr. Cosgroves' yesterday afternoon and evening was much enjoyed by the members of the Methodist societies and friends.

Don't fail to attend the finest masquerade of the season to-night, at Druid hall, given by the Toboggan Dancing club.

A delegation of Toledo conductors will go to Lima on Sunday to assist in the organization of a division at that place. Forty names are on the charter list.

A meeting of the representatives of the Yacht clubs on the chain of lakes will be held in Cleveland on the 21st. Commodore Bills will represent the Ohio Yacht club.

The very best service at the Toledo Laundry Co. Phone 438.

The county commissioners are in joint session to-day with the board of Wood county. The Wood county board consists of E. B. Beversock, Jacob Stahl, T. H. Thompson.

Have your buildings painted with Buckeye paints. They are the most durable.

A meeting in the interest of increased educational facilities is to be held at the High school building on Saturday morning, at which Superintendent Compton will deliver an address.

Bargman keeps open evenings till Xmas

Angostura Bitters are used by mothers to stop colic and looseness of the bowels in children. Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Co., manufacturers. Ask your druggist.

One of the most sensible presents you can get your baby is one of Tate's baby jumpers. It is nurse to the baby, and a great assistance to the mother. See them at 134 Superior street.

Rev. W. H. Sloan will preach the dedication sermon at the Oliver Street Baptist church on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, and Rev. E. E. Williams will occupy the pulpit in the evening.

The High School Comedy company rehearsed yesterday afternoon. The actors and actresses entered into their work with much spirit.

Col. E. S. Bryant, of Bloomdale, has been appointed as assistant inspector-general of the uniform rank, K. P. Mr. Bryant is colonel of the regiment to which the Toledo divisions are attached.

Try the celebrated Rose brand hams, bacon and dried beef; also fresh, salt and smoked meats, sausage, etc., at Jacob Folger's, South St. Clair street.

Six hundred and eighty-four building permits have been issued by the city clerk during the past 11 months, according to the book. Several of the permits embrace from one to five structures.

Regular meeting of the Ohio Yacht club to-morrow night.

Hon. George H. Ely Hon. G. W. Gardner, Captain Thomas Wilson, H. D. Goulder, and James Corrigan have been appointed by the Cleveland board of trade as delegates to the water ways convention in Detroit on the 17th.

August Cornat sued John Buchert in common pleas court to-day to recover $10,000 damages for injuries sustained while working in the employment of the defendant, in the construction of a large church building in Toledo, October 2, 1891.

We lead the watch trade. Call and see us and get prices. B. H. Broer, 606 S. St. Clair street.

A bad hole has been left in the alley crossing in the rear of Mr. James Blass' residence on Chestnut street, which if not repaired may cause a large bill of expense to the city one of these days.

Under the direction of F. E. Warren, physical director of the Y. M. C. A., the senior class will give an exhibition for the benefit of the East Side sister association on Saturday night at 8 o'clock in Weber's hall.

Cabbage is coming into the market by the car load.

The fair now being held by the ladies of the Second Congregational church in East Toledo is attracting much attention, and so satisfactory was it on the two days for which it was arranged that it has been concluded to hold it for the balance of the week.

Umbrellas—Special for the holidays. Just received a large stock of fine Silk Umbrellas. Come and see. B. H. Broer, 606 S. St. Clair street.

The canal commission has discovered a tract of forty acres of land in Henry county near the Defiance line belonging to the state. It was included in a grant from the general government in 1828, but has been occupied by private individuals during all these years. The present possessor has applied for a lease which will be granted him.—Columbus Journal.

The Ys carnival opens to-morrow evening at Memorial hall.

Mr. Geo. C. Schutt is about to sever his connection with the Crescent Livery company, which institution he was instrumental in organizing, to engage in the real estate business with the Boston Improvement company of New York city. This company has built a magnificent summer resort at Congers, some 20 miles out of New York, where they have a large hotel, cottages, grounds, lake, etc., and which last season was one of the most popular and prosperous of any in the east. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Schutt will regret their departure from Toledo.

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HOLIDAY RATES.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

In order to give their patrons a chance to properly celebrate the holidays, the Wheeling & Lake Erie railway will sell excursion tickets between all stations on their line, at low excursion rates for the round trip.

Tickets will be sold on December 24, 25 and 31, and January 1, 1892, and will be good for return passage up to and including January 4, 1892. Children between the ages of 5 and 12 years, half excursion rate.

For any further information regarding rates on the W. & L. E. railway, or any of its connecting lines, apply to the nearest agent of the W. & L. E. railway, or to

JAS. M. HALL,
General Passenger Agent.

CALIFORNIA EXCURSIONS.

The Wabash Railroad company has commenced the sale of low rate single and round trip tourist tickets to all principal Pacific coast points and the City of Mexico, giving over 200 different combinations of routes going and returning.

The Wabash is the only line east of Chicago that has a complete line of tourist tickets, obviating the annoyance to passengers of exchanging their tickets at some point en route. Palace reclining chair cars (seats free), elegant sleepers and famous Wabash dining cars on all trains. Through Pullman buffet sleeping cars and palace reclining chair cars (seats free) Toledo to Kansas City without change. Only one change of cars to any Pacific coast or intermediate point. For lowest rates, maps, folders, etc., call on or write Boody House Ticket office, or P. E. Dombaugh, passenger and ticket agent Wabash railroad, 308 Madison street, Toledo, O.

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Pins.	Earings.	Watches.	
Diamonds.	Cake Dishes.	Butter	
Rings.	Chains.	Dishes.	
Cuff Buttons.	Stick Pins.	Charms.	
Ash Trays.	Bon Bons.	Scarf Pins.	
Forks.	Knives.	Solid Silver	
Pickle	Cups for	Spoons.	
Dishes.	Baby.	Tea Sets.	
Emblem	Opera	Napkin	
Charms.	Glasses.	Rings.	
Stamps	Gloves	Match Safes.	
Boxes.	Buttoners.	Gold Pens.	

A world of Fancy Articles for Christmas presents. NEUHAUSEL BROS.

INITIAL R. E, O. S, M,
Or any other letter you want in Silk or Linen Handkerchiefs,
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Holiday Capes—Holiday Ribbons.
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Feather Fans in all shapes
At LAMSONS'.

CHRISTMAS BELLS.
You should not miss the time and opportunity. No matter how small or trifling the token, no matter how large or valuable the present, we are prepared to meet your wants. We bought our Holiday stock for the rich and poor, great and small alike. If you come early you will have no trouble in making a suitable selection of the reliable jeweler,
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Christmas tree ornaments in endless variety at L. H. Meinert's, corner Summit and Oak streets.

Everyone should go to the Great Bazaar before purchasing Christmas goods, in the large rooms of the C. L. Luce building. Plenty of room for the crowd. 242 Summit street.

Remember us when you are thinking of what to buy your friends for Christmas.
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Coasters, Sleds and Skates, all styles and sizes.
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Well, don't worry over it, but call in one of McGlynn's moving vans. Everything handled with care. Special attention given to the moving of pianos. 442 Summit street.

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Shaving sets, toilet sets, albums, books, games, dolls, toys, bric-a-brac, etc., etc. Fifty per cent. saved by buying at 909 Cherry street. Open evenings.
MRS. M. O. YOUNG.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

MILWAUKEE SAUSAGE.
Mr. Ralph Strub, 719 Adams street, has just received another invoice of liver sausage, smoked pork sausage, smoked Frankfort and blood sausage; also an imported Cervelat sausage from Halle, Germany.

ARE YOU LOOKING
To your comfort and pleasure as you should when you ride in a rickety-rackety wagon, behind a go-as-you-please horse? Why not give McGlynn a chance to show you what he can do in the way of a stylish turnout.
Call up 'phone 1035, or call at 442 Summit street, opposite Neuhausels'.

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Of the old Parish Church given with a 50c purchase Saturday, Dec. 19 to 24. Union Tea & Coffee Co., 619 Cherry st.

For a Christmas present you cannot find anything better than a late etching in a good frame. Get these things of H. C. Frentz, 521 Jefferson, and save 25 per cent. or more.

Before you buy patent rockers, parlor sets or lounges see my own work and get prices. G. Bonash, 534 S. St. Clair street.

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Selling Sherwood's Flat-Iron Cleaner for cleaning and waxing flat-irons. A new thing, a necessity in every family. Sells at sight. A live agent (man or woman) wanted in every town. Sample by mail, postpaid, 25 cents. Write now for terms to agents. The Bodine Co., Mansfield, Ohio.

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